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					1889.
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R.I.	PESHAWUR	3927	600	L. H. Moule	25th ,,
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R.I.	SUTLEJ	4205	800	W. D. Worcester	8th ,,
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BENGAL	4499	100	W. Barratt	20th ,, 1889
PENINSULAR	5500	1000	H. Wyatt	3rd Jan.
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Chamber of Commerce, address to the Viceroy elect, 9-30 p.m.
Bombay R. M. C. Association Concert, 9 p.m.
Novelty Theatre, Miss Jewel Deane's Company, 9 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 1st:—Kairos (s), from Cardiff. On the 2nd:—Electra (s), from Hongkong; and Persia (s), Glasgow and Liverpool. Yesterday:—Sutlej (s), from London; Pachumba (s), Karachi and Coast; and Queen of England, Bangkok.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Satara (s), for Karachi and the Persian Gulf; Coconada (s), Marmagao, &c.; and Umballa (s), Madras.

REPORTED THEFT.—Chunilall Nanchund, the manager of a liquor shop at Middle Colaba, reported to the police on Sunday the theft of Rs. 500 in currency notes and cash from a wooden box which was kept in the shop, and which was found broken open. A servant of complainant's, named Francis, who usually slept in the shop at night, and who has absconded, is suspected to have committed the theft.

ADVENT LECTURES ON BUTLER'S ANALOGY.—During Advent the Archdeacon of Bombay will deliver a series of six lectures on Butler's Analogy, Part I.—"The Analogy of Natural Religion to the Constitution and Course of Nature." The lectures will be delivered in All Saints' Church, Malabar Hill, on Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7-30 a.m., commencing on Wednesday, December 5th, with Chapter I—"Of a Future Life." Each lecture is intended to last about half an hour.

DISORDERLY SEEDEE BOATMEN.—Superintendent Sweeney, yesterday charged Ahmed bin Omir and 31 other seedee boatmen, before Mr. Hamilton, with rioting on Saturday. The men belonged to different boats and quarrelled through one crew hindering the other entering the Mody Bunder. A free fight ensued, both parties jumping into the water and striking each other with anything that was available. Fortunately the police were at hand, and the disturbance was quelled very soon after it commenced. Mr. Hamilton took a very lenient view of the matter, and fined the men one rupee each.

ROBBING A CHILD.—Rahimon Shaik Cadur, a Mahomedan vagrant, was yesterday charged by Inspector Young, before Mr. P. Ryan, with stealing a gold embroidered cap, valued at Rs. 2, from the person of a Mahomedan girl, aged 2 years, while playing about in the street in the front of her parent's residence in Doctor Street, on Friday last. The accused was arrested while in the act of removing the cap from the child's head and making off with it, and handed over to the police. Rahimon, on pleading guilty to the charge was sentenced to six weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

THE CHOTANY'S AND KUNDWANYS RECONCILED.—On Saturday evening last the Hallai Memons, to which set the Chotany and Kundwany factions belong, held a meeting at Kolsa Moholla, and there with the good offices of the Settias or head men of Kolsa Moholla Jamat, as also of the other Settias of the Memon community, the dispute that existed between the two factions were settled. After the differences had been settled the Kundwanys visited the Chotanys and there partook of refreshments, after which the Chotanys in return visited the Kundwanys where they spent some time, and both factions are on friendly terms again.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—Doorgapursad Bundee, of no fixed place of residence, was yesterday charged by Inspector Young, before Mr. P. Ryan, with criminal breach of trust, in respect of a bag containing currency notes and cash and wearing apparel of the aggregate value of Rs. 385, the property of Ramdeo Lukmidass, a Delhi merchant. It appears that on Wednesday morning last Ramdeo arrived in Bombay from Dulhi and put up in a Dhurumsalla at Cowasjee Patel Tank Road, where he met the accused Doorgapursad and a woman, who were perfect strangers to him. He then had some conversation with them, and considering them to be honest people left his bag with its contents in their custody and went out looking for a house to reside in. On his return to the Dhurrumsalla he found that the accused and the woman had decamped from the Dhurumsalla with his bag and its contents. Complainant reported the matter to the police, who upon enquiries arrested the woman at Bandora, and from the statements she made, the accused was arrested at Bareilly with the bag and its contents in his possession. The accused was convicted and sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment.

OLD JAIL BIRDS.—Talim Elaibux, *alias* Shaik Abdool Shaik Ahmed, *alias* Abdool Latiff, *alias* Abdool Rayman, *alias* Abdool Guffoor Mahomed, was yesterday charged by Inspector Nolan with stealing a copper *lota*, valued at Re. 1-8, the property of Acmutkhan Mahomed Khan, a Pakeer, living at Memon Wada, about six weeks ago. The complainant, it appears, took accused into his service about two months ago, and immediately afterwards missed the *lota*. The accused disappeared and never turned up until the police brought him on the 1st instant with the stolen article, and he identified it as his property. The accused was arrested by the police on the 1st instant loitering about the streets. When he made a statement, and the *lota* was recovered from Nundram Soppa, a Marwarree, having his shop at Mudonpoora, to whom he had sold the article for 6 annas. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and also admitted two previous convictions. He was convicted and sentenced to twelve months' rigorous imprisonment.—Another noted character, named Futtey Mahomed Abdools, against whom there appeared a register of two previous convictions, was also convicted of stealing a copper dish, valued at Rs. 2-8, the property of Fakroodin Ahmedools, a weaver, living in Mustan Tank Street on the afternoon of Sunday last. The accused was arrested by the police while in the act of stealing the dish and walking off with it. He was sentenced to nine months' rigorous imprisonment.

WEDDING AT POONA.—There was a very pretty wedding on the 30th November at St. Mary's Church of Mr. Heapy, of Bombay, and Miss Stritton. The Bride, who was graciously given away by Mrs. Solly-Flood, was dressed in apricot silk, white tulle bonnet, and orange blossoms, and carried a handsome bouquet of white flowers and looked perfectly charming. The marriage service was read by the Rev. Mr. Horne and the altar rails where the bridal pair knelt was prettily arranged with flowers. They afterwards returned to Lothian House where a splendid breakfast was provided, and left Poona by the midday train for Lanowlee for the honeymoon. The presents were very handsome and useful.—*Poona Observer.*

RESULT OF UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS.

THE LL.B. DEGREE.

THE result of the examination for the LL.B. degree was announced last evening; and out of 87 candidates, the following 17 were declared to have passed:—

Chimelgund, Hanmnant Venkatesh. Chitale, Balkrishna Narayan. Damle, Anant Mahadev. Desai, Govindbhai Hathibhai. Desai, Pandurang Anant. Ferceira, Dominic Joseph. Kirtane, Ramchandra Trimbak. Kola, Hiraji Kavasji. Koppikar, Shreshgiri Ramchandra. Majmudar, Sorabbai Valabhai. Pandit, Krishnaji Narayan. Pleader, Ardasir Nassarwanji. Ranade, Yeshvant Nagesh. Samant, Namdev Vithal. Sovani, Govind Krishna. Tate, Edalji Postanji. Vakil, Ochhavram Nanabhai.

BOMBAY ART SOCIETY.

THE meeting of this Society, adjourned from last Monday, was continued yesterday in the Town Hall at 5-15 p.m., Mr. Forbes Adam in the chair, when the consideration on the constitution was continued. The chairman presented a number of amendments, and after some discussion the constitution and rules were passed clause by clause. The following officers were elected for the ensuing season:—

President.—Mr. Justice Scott.
Vice-President.—Mr. John Griffiths.
Honorary-Secretary and Treasurer.—Mr. Arthur Grey.
Members of Committee—Messrs. F. Forbes Adam, F. W. Stevens, E. Winbridge, H. W. Uloth, C. A. Turner, Major Gerald Marton, Brigade Surgeon Hojel, Messrs H. M. Phipson, Stanley Tytler, E. Greenwood, and Nowroji N. Wadia.

The Secretary read a letter received from H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught offering a prize for the coming Exhibition. Offers of prizes were also made by Mr. Justice Scott, Messrs Forbes Adam, Slight, and Wimbridge.

The Exhibition was fixed to open on Monday, February 4th, and the Secretary was instructed to give public notice of the same. It is understood that a large number of gentlemen have already joined the Society. Those who had not yet done so are reminded that to become entitled to the privileges of original members they should send in their names to the Honorary Secretary, Mr. Arthur Grey, 58, Sirdar's Mansions, before Jan. 1st, 1889.

AMONG the cold weather visitors to Benares will be Kunwar Bhavsingji Madhosingji, the heir-presumptive to H. H. the Rana of Porebunder, who will be accompanied on his travels by his European tutor.

THE Bengal Government has purchased on the Continent some of the most improved silk-worm apparatus for use in connection with the silk-rearing experiments now being conducted in Berhampore and elsewhere.

MISS TOOLE, the only surviving child of Mr. J. L. Toole, the actor, died on Monday afternoon, Nov. 5th, in Edinburgh, after an illness of several weeks. She arrived in Edinburgh six or seven days before the visit of her father, who performed at the Lyceum Theatre. Almost immediately after reaching the city Miss Toole was compelled to take to bed. It is supposed she contracted her illness at Cork. She was twenty-two years of age, and was engaged to be married to Mr. J. H. McCarthy, M.P., a son of the novelist, and himself a play-writer of some note. Mr. Toole was under an engagement to play at Carlisle that night, but in consequence of his daughter's death, the engagement could not be fulfilled. Mrs Toole, who was in London, was prevented by serious indisposition from being present at the bedside.

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THE ACCIDENT TO THE EDEN HALL.

THE Marine Court of Enquiry appointed to investigate the circumstances attending the accident to the s.s. Eden Hall which collided with the Dock wall as she was entering the Prince's Dock on the 16th September, opened yesterday morning. Mr. Cooper presided, and was assisted by Captain J. DeHome s.s. Surat and Messrs. F. Thorburn Harbour-master, and A. W. Seabrooke, Engineer-Surveyor to the Port.

Mr. Frere conducted the enquiry on behalf of Government, Mr. Brown appeared for Captain Hughes of the Eden Hall, and Mr. Smetham represented Mr. Southwell Piper.

Mr. F. Southwell Piper master pilot was the first to be examined. He said, on the 15th September last, he boarded the Eden Hall at 3-5 a.m. on the north of the B. I. Company E. mooring and east of cross Island reef buoy, and gave the necessary orders to unmoor and to lift up the port anchor. It was hove up and he then told the chief officer to cat and fish it. He declined to do so because he said it would knock a hole in the bows of the ship, she was so high in the water. The third officer and several others were present and heard this conversation. He then went on the bridge and told the captain what the mate had said about catting and fishing the anchor. The captain concurred with the chief officer, remarking that it would be safer. He remained on the bridge and ordered the starboard chain to be hove in and it was reported short at 30 fathoms. The officers then went to stations for the purpose of entering the Prince's Dock. When the anchor was hove up he went slow astern and backed her between the ships. He then stopped, put the helm hard a starboard and went slow ahead. When the anchors were up, he ordered them to keep them ready to let go at a movement's notice. The Captain repeated these orders and chief mate replied that both anchors were ready to let go. After being free of the shipping he anchored off the Prince's Dock channel South West of P. & O. Mooring, till he saw his flag flying at the Victoria Dock entrance, at 5-25 a. m. When in the Channel there were several Cargo boats crossing to the southward and one in particular he had to pass under the stern of. When clear he put the helm hard astarboard and gave a few turns ahead to cant her up to the Victoria Dock. Fearing she would not fit up I ordered to stand by the port anchor and shortly after ordered it to be let go. His object in letting go the anchor was to stop her bow from falling off, and to assist her to point to the gates and not because she had more way than the engines would counteract going full speed astern. Some minutes elapsed before the port anchor was let go, and he noticed the chief officer speaking down a hatchway in the fore castle deck to some one below. He then let go the starboard, anchor, any anchor or both, the Captain remarking, "If they dont let go the anchor she will strick the wall." He hailed some one to know what was the matter with the anchors. They did not succeed in letting go the port anchor and only let go the starboard one when close to the wall, and then did not hold on to the chain though ordered to do so by the Captain and myself. In consequence they struck the Dock wall about 8ft. south of the steps. Some damage was done to the wall; after that the Dockmaster gave orders and the ship was walked in in the Victoria Dock. From the time he gave the orders to let go the port Anchor up to the time the starboard anchor was let go was four minutes; from the time he gave the order about the port anchor up to the time the starboard anchor was let go she travelled over the ground about 1,000 ft. It ought to take a few seconds to let the anchors go after the order is given, almost instantaneously. He was of opinion that the engines were not going full speed astern, because there was no vibration on the bridge and also because the ship's way was not stopped; and thirdly when he looked over the stern, he saw no commotion which should be caused by the propeller going full speed.

By the Court:—He accounted for the accident, though the anchors not being let go when ordered. In cross-examination witness said he had a conversation with the chief officer about accidents to ship when under the charge of pilots. He said that they were due to the officers being self-willed and not carrying out the orders of the pilot.

By Mr. Brown:—He did not say that he could always get out of it by saying the ship was to blame. He would swear to it. He was not aware that the chief officer said he gave him permission to let the port anchor hang at the house.

By Mr. Smetham. Do you think the Eden Hall had her full complement of crew?—I cant say. I don't think she had any crew, but the Captain will be able to answer that best. Witness continued that he reported to the Captain that his orders with regard to speed when going astern, had not been carried out. Witness was certain if she had a full head of speed on when he ordered her full speed astern it would have saved her.

Mr. Walker, dock-master was the next witness. He stated that he heard the orders about the anchor given by the Pilot, but he did not see it lowered. He also heard some one on board say the anchor could not be let go. Witness heard both captain and pilot sing out to let go both anchors. We then heard the starboard anchor let go, when the ship was 50 ft. from the dock-wall, but she came on and struck the wall. The anchor had no effect on her, because it was not let go soon enough, the chain never tightened. When going astern, she canted very rapidly. Her speed when she struck was half a mile an hour, if not less.

Captan Seth Hughes was then examined and said he was the Master of the s.s. Eden Hall and holds an extra Masters certificate granted by the Board of trade. On the 15th September last, they discharged all our cargo of coal except 250 tons of coal. I had then 16 Natives and 10 Europeans on deck, which did not include the four engineers. In his opinion the Eden Hall was fully manned and properly equipped and everything was in good order. The Pilot, Mr. Piper, came on board at about 3 a.m. He ordered the port anchor to be hove and went forward to see it done. He afterwards came on the bridge and said he had given orders to the port anchor to be fished, (put on the rails) and that the chief officer told him that the anchor could be let go as well from the rail as from the hawse pipe. He understood that the pilot had given him permission to do as he liked. The pilot did call his attention to the want of pressure of steam and he did say he would ask the chief engineer about it, but he told him not to mind. The pilot ordered the mate to have the anchors ready to be let go. He heard the mate say they were ready and the ship was anchored by the starboard anchor in the Prince's Dock channel the pilot and himself being on the bridge. He did not see who was at the anchor when the order was given to let go, but he supposed the carpenter was there. The order was given to the chief officer, but he did not know what he did. The anchor was not let go and the ship was kept singing out to let it go and then gave the order to let the starboard anchor go, which was let go, five or six seconds after the order was given. The ship was half a length from the wall when the anchor was let go. She was going five knots an hour. The Eden Hall was not damaged much several rivets in the stem were sheered, and fifty of them had to be replaced and there was some other slight damage.

After further evidence the Court adjourned till this morning, the Vaiturna enquiry being postponed till 11 a.m. on Friday.

BOMBAY MEDICAL UNION.

AN adjourned meeting of the local medical profession was held under the auspices of the Bombay Medical Union on Saturday, under the presidentship of Dr. J. C. Lisboa. There were present among others Dr. Atmaram Pandurung, Cowasji Pestonji, Cawasji Hormusji, Temoolji Bhiccaji Nariman, Dosabji Hormusji, Dinshaw Dorabji, S. V. Kantak, Dadabhoy Jamasji, H. D. Pesikaka, J. A. Du Gama, Bhalchndra Krishna, M. R. Sethna, N. H. E. Sukhia, Dinshaw Bomonji Master, B. B. Dantra, D. A. D'Monte, K. N. Bahadurji, V. Dias, N. R. Oomrigur, Shantaram Vithal, J. P. Nicholson, A. Boccaro, A. D. Mody, R. N. Ranina, K. V. Kunte, H. K. Tavaria, G. F. Gonsalves, Edulji Cowasji Takina, S. K. Nariman, L. B. Dhargalker, J. G. Tukhia, K. S. Engineer, S. P. Bharucha, H. M. Masina, R. K. Vaccha, N. N. Katruck, N. H. Choksey, B. D. Kapadia, D. S. Dallas, S. R Mehta, D. R. Khote, D. H. Patel, Jehangir K. Daji, Fakirji R. Bonesetter, H. J. Appoo, Eruch Sherarji Bharucha, Khursetji, N. Sabiar, A. P. Cama, D. R. Wadia, S. W. Kare, B. S. Shroff. The minutes of the previous meeting being read and confirmed.

The draft rules for the guidance of the visiting staff, honorary and official, the assistant honorary physician and surgeon, and students clerks and dressers were read and adopted, to the effect that the visiting members shall attend the wards for the purposes of clinical instruction every alternate day, and that the clinical lectures delivered by the honorary staff be conned with the required number of lectures for the keeping of terms by the students. That to obtain a fair and even distribution of patients each visiting officer should in turn take active duties and be called the receiving officer, so that all the cases admitted on the day he is on such duty be by right his. In case of emergency the surgeon and physician on duty, the receiving officer to be once sent for. That the honorary officers shall submit to the discipline of the hospital according to the departmental rules laid down by Government for the internal administration of hospitals such as are already observed by the official visiting staff as regards the supply of diet-ordinary and extra, and medicine, &c., to the wards under their charge, that differences of opinion on any subject whatever be referred to a common room meeting consisting of an equal number of the honorary and official physicians and surgeons of the hospital, and their decision be considered final. That each physician and surgeon be assisted by one assistant physician and surgeons respectively.

That the assistant physicians and surgeons shall distribute casse among the clinical clerks in the order prescribed by their respective physicians anp surgeons and generally be under the orders of the said physicans and surgeons, that the assistant honorary gentlemen shall generally supervise the work of the clinical clerks and dressers and assist them in the performance of their ward duties such as case taking, filling up the daily notes, &c., that the assistant honorary gentlemen shall be responsible to their chiefs for the discipline and general conduct of the wards under their charge and assist their physicians and surgeons in their rounds and be responsible to their chief for the treatment of patients in the wards under them in their absence, that they should generally instruct their clerks and dressers in making physical examinations, &c., and make *post mortem* examinations on the bodies of deceased patients under the direction of their respective chiefs. That no one except by the consent of the physicians and surgeons directing an inspection shall attend the *post mortems*.

That the assistant honorary gentlemen shall not perform any major operation or practice treatment attendant with special risk unless with the knowlege and under the superintendence of their chiefs, and that they should help the resident medical officer in making medico-legal reports.

That the clinical clerks be evenly distributed amongst the honorary and official physicians and surgeons; that they (clinical clerks) shall take cases under the instruction of their assistant physicians and surgeons, take notes of their respective cases every day, go round with their physicians and surgeons and attend their course of clinical lectures. They should fill in the bed-head cards and take cases on admission of patients. That they shall see to the casualty cases under their assistant physicians and surgeons, or in their absence under the Resident Medical officer.

A MEETING OF NATIVE LADIES FOR DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

AN occurrence unusual in native society took place in the old Bhattia Mahajanwady in Kalbadevi Road, on Sunday afternoon last, when a meeting of native ladies was held to witness a distribution of prizes to the girls attending ten different native girls' schools in Bombay. The prizes were distributed in memory of Gokiball, late daughter of Mr. Narrondas Thackersey Mooljee, a member of the firm of Messrs. Thackersey Mooljee and Company, agents to three of the local mills, to the girls of the following ten schools:—The Jivraj Balloo, the Munguldas Nathoobhoy, the Charni Wady, the Bhoolcshwur, the Kalbadevi, the Rungaree Moholla, the Null Bazaar, the Musjid Bunder, the Jairajbhoy Peerbhoy, and the Gokuldas Tejpall Girls' Schools. Many Parsee ladies were present; but the gathering of Bhattia ladies was a spectacle seldom witnessed at a meeting held in this city. Bai Dosibai Eduljee Vayad, head mistress of the Sir Munguldas Nathoobhoy Girls' School, was called to the chair; and in opening the proceedings, made some remarks appropriate to the occasion. She said that Mr. Narrandas Thackersey Mooljee, who had taken great trouble and undergone expense in connection with the meeting, was a warm advocate of female education, and had caused the publication of a new book in Gujeratee entitled the "Shri Dharm Prakash" (i. e., the Mirror of the Duty of Females), the perusal of the lessons conveyed in which she was assured, would be of much advantage to the gentle sex. In order to commemorate the name of his daughter, Gokibai, who died last year, he had resolved upon making a free distribution of the book to the girls attending the different Hindu girls' schools in Bombay.

Several poems were recited by some of the girls. Prizes of the "Shri Dharm Prakash" and other books and packets of sweetmeats were then distributed to the girls present. Thanks were voted to the lady who presided, and the proceedings terminated.

THE DACCA MAHOMEDANS' ADDRESS.

THE following is a literal translation of the Persian address presented to H. E. the Viceroy on his arrival at Dacca:—

To his Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Frederick-Temple Hamilton-Temple Blackwood, Marqui of Dufferin and Ava and Earl of Ava, K.P., G.M.S.I., G.N.I.E., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., P.C., F.R.S., D.C.L., Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

O one whose coming is the cause of peace and security;
O one whose coming is the source of honour and dignity;
By the grace of thy arrival, with hundred pride and joy.

The soil of Dacca exults over the exalted heaven.

We, the representatives of the Mahomedans of East Bengal, present in the town of Dacca or Jahangirnagar, the loyal subject of her Imperial Majesty, the exalted Empress of India, may God prolong her rule, having obtained the blessing of introduction and presence of the exalted Darbar of Your Excellency, among those that have found access here, beg to make the following representation, with hundred obeisance and submission, by means of this address which is an example of our heartfelt gratitude and happiness, and the occasion of perpetual honour and glory,

This old town which was founded in 1021 A. H. by one of the noblest of the Amirs of the Imperial Court, Islam Khan, Subadar of Bengal, during the reign of His Majesty Nuruddin Muhammad Jahangir, Emperor of India, was named Jahangirnagar, and was made the capital of Bengal; and after that was successively ruled by other Amirs and Imperial officers such as Qutubuddin Khan Kokaltash, Mahabat Khan Kabuli, Raja Mansingh, Ibrahim Khar, Zabardast Khan, Prince Azimushshan, Jafar Khan Nusairi known as Murshid Kuli Khan, Muazzam Khan Khankhanan, Shaista Khan and others, who exerted strenuous efforts for improvement and prosperity, from time to time, till the end of the Moghal dynasty; and recently through the generosity of Nawab Sir Abdul Ghani, K.C.S.I., and Nawab Ahsan Ullah Khan Bahadur, had surpassed all the towns of Bengal except the metropolis of Calcutta,—this town of Dacca, having had previously the honour of the visit of his Excellency Lord Northbrook, a former Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and having now acquired the fortune of your Excellency's auspicious and propitious visit, has gathered in the pearls of every kind of gain and success in the pocket and skirt of wish. The happiness and thankfulness at the auspicious and fortunate visit of Your Excellency to this old place are so great that it is not possible for the thought to pick up sufficient words to express them, and for the power of the pen and writing to be equal to them. Therefore inability apologises and the heart bears witness to this.

From the day that the great Empire of India har acquired the wealth of peace, justice, and good government and education, through the blessing of You Excellency's rule and management, in the capacity o Viceroy of her Imperial Majesty the exalted Empress of India, may the Almighty prolong her Sovereignty, till this moment, all the nations among the inhabitants of India, peoples of different religions and persuasions, live in security, happiness, joy and peace with each other, with perfect liberty in the performance of their religious and social rites; specially the Mahomedan nation, in their present state of degradation and adversity, in accordance with the principles of policy observed by the entirely just British Government, in the matter of raising them to the level of other advanced nations, having obtained various advantages such as the proposal to provide them with appointments and making arrangements for giving effect to it, and the exemption of Kabinnamah from stamp duty, &c., are heartily engaged in Expressing sincere loyalty and devotion, and in thanking Your Excellency for fulfilling the promise you had made, when taking leave of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, of taking interest in the welfare and advancement of the Musalmans of India. The successful termination and happy result of Your Excellency's prudent policy in the matter of the Frontier Commission and the annexation of Burmah, which will always remain as a memorial on the surface of the earth, have saved India and the people of India from many dangers, for which is incumbent on them to pledge for ever their word and gain to thankfulness and praise. The effect of Your Excellency's most suitable mode of Government, which is based on the conciliation of hearts, the purification of manners, the enlightenment of souls, the spread and improvement of education, and freedom from partiality, has, by virtue of its winning power, made the hearts of all the peoples of India so much devoted to good-will of, and allegiance to the lasting British Government, that for the purpose of providing means for strengthening the defences of the frontier of Afghanistan, the independent chiefs of whom the first to take the initiative and lead was the noble Nizam, in offering to place large sums of money at the disposal of her Imperial Majesty the exalted Empress of India, have expressed their heart-felt devotion and followed the dictates of loyalty.

Among the manifold obligations and favours conferred by her Excellency the Marchioness of Dufferin for all of which praise and thankfulness are due, and which are sums of the happy results of your Excellency's advent in this country to take the reins of Government, the foundation of female hospitals, the want of which has been felt by all nations and more keenly by those among whom the seclusion of women is prevalent, will keep the hearts and tongues of the inhabitants of this country throughout its existence devoted to and engaged in lasting thankfulness and praise, by bestowing innumerable blessings.

On the conferring of the distinguished title of Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, and Earl of Ava on your Excellency by her Gracious Majesty the Empress of India, which is the choicest fruit and the fittest reward of your noble direction and wise management of the weighty affairs of state and difficult matters connected with the administration of the extensive Empire of Hindustan, the hearts of these well-wishers in concert with the tongue and the pen, sing their rejoicings and congratulations, hoping that by accepting these Your Excellency will confer honour and dignity on them. Though Your Excellency's determination to leave this country before the expiry of the usual term of office has caused these well-wishers much regret and disappointment, but they are sanguine of compensation as by Royal command it is Her Majesty's always to receive favours at the hand of your noble self even after your departure from the shores of India.

Like the present of the ants to Solomon
Is our address to the Marquis of Ava.
His advent is the cause of lasting satiety,
For, the river has come to the thirsty.
It is time that we should fill, with ebullition of joy,
The skirt of desire with the pearls of hope.
By the efforts of the pen with hundred sincerity and devotion,
May the language acquire unlimited honour from his praise!
He is above the need of our singing his praises,
As "a beautiful face does not require the services of a bride-dresser."
From the general kindness of his Consort has been entertained,
The certainty of everlasting benevolence for the happiness of hearts.
The result of her gratuitous favours.
Has made world-soothing blessings universal.
Under the shadow of the grace of the sovereign of the universe,
In whose protection we live in peace and happiness,
May both of them (Lord and Lady Dufferin) enjoy a comfortable seat (Jae) in the Court of honour and happiness,
Always, as long as space (Jae) has existence (Jae) in the world!

KAJAH MAHAMMAD ASGHAR, President.
Mahomedan Reception Committee
November 27th, 1888.

A "CORNER" in the diamond market is (*Iron* says) the latest thing out, and it is spoken of as possible if the four diamond-fields in Africa could be worked as one concern. It is even declared that a combination will be necessary on account of the glutted state of the market, as present values very nearly touch the cost of production. It is even possible, we are told, that the costly gem may be found in many fresh places, and become so common that it will not pay to mine unless some new use should be found for it similar to that for boring purposes—some practical use, in fact that will consume a great many stones and keep up the price.

ARRIVAL OF THE OVERLAND MAILS OF THE 16TH NOVEMBER.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s.s. Sutlej, Captain W. D. G. Worcester, with the English mails of the 16th November arrived in Bombay harbour at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. The following is the list of passengers:—

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Lansdowne and suite	Sister M Faith Miss Woollings Mrs Allen
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Lady Beatrice Fitzmaurice	Miss Gordon
Lady Maude Anson	Dr. Mrs and Miss Cameron
Capt and Lady Florence Streatfield and child	Mr Cameron Mr Gray
Miss Heathon	Mr Sutherland
Col Ardagh	Miss Birch
Capt Hon C Harbord	Mr F Turner
Mr Pakenham	Mr Peacock
Dr and Mrs Fenn and 2 children	Mr Hooper
Mr and Mrs Veaning	Mrs Carrol, 2 children and infant
Surg-Genl and Miss Penny	Mr Brady
Miss M Thorne	Mr Whitewith
Mr. Mrs and Miss Jeremiah Lyon	Mr Allardice Mr W Rendall
Miss Sanderson and friend	Mr Lethbridge
Col and Mrs Lawrence, child and infant	Mr Barlow Mrs Griffiths
Mr G P Robinson	Miss P Otley
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Miss Dunn	Mr Shutt
Mr and Mrs Hearsey, four children and infant	Mr Stewart Mr Hopkins
Sister G Raphael	

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Mr C J Groom	Mr J Smith
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Mad Bicknyre	Mr Davidson
Mr J Munford	Capt and Mrs Goynder
Mr and Mrs Thurburn	Capt Gardner
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Mr C Wallis	Mr Frere
Mr Coppoli	Miss Barlow
Mr W Ellis	Mr Digby
Mr W Horne	Mr P C Lyon
Comte de Basterot & Secretary	Mr Dole Mr Schmaly
Mr Hickens	Mr Jones
Mr and Mrs Wilson	Mr Gordon
Mr and Mrs Clarke	Mrs Harrison
Mr D McKenzie	Mr C E Mitchell
Mr and Mrs Hanterbery	Mr Bannister
Mr, Mrs and Miss Grimley	Mr and Miss Teape

FROM MALTA.—Mr Westrup

FROM PORT SAID.

Mr R Palmer — Mr Clayton

FROM ISMAILIA.

Mr Talbot — Mr Facheri

FROM ADEN.—Mr W Stewart

HEADS OF INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM 10TH TO 16TH NOVEMBER INCLUSIVE.)

THE Princess of Wales, with her eldest son and daughter, left London on Monday for Copenhagen, to attend the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the reign of the King of Denmark.

In the House of Lords on Tuesday Earl Spencer moved the second reading of the Oaths Bill, which, after much adverse comment, was agreed to.

In the House of Commons on Friday Sir W. Hart Dyke moved the Education Vote of £3,576,077, being an increase over last year of £117,270. He declined to enter upon the report of the Education Commission, which was still under the consideration of the Government, but he assured the Committee that there was no intention to interfere with the settlement of 1870. After considerable debate, the vote was agreed to. On Monday Mr. Matthews stated that Sir Charles Warren had resigned the office of Chief Commissioner of Metropolitan Police. Mr. W. H. Smith, answering Mr. Labouchere, said the expenses of the Special Commission would be embodied in a Supplementary Estimate next year, and he added that no part of the expenses of The *Times* were paid by the Government, who gave equal facilities to both sides to examine official documents. The debates have since turned upon the cost of the law administration and the relations between the Home Secretary and the police. Last night Mr. W. H. Smith said that the Tithes Bill and other Bills must be abandoned, but a Bill for extending by $5,000,000, the provisions of the Land Purchase Act (Ireland) would be brought in. Mr. Gladstone gave notice of decided opposition to the measure. The House then went again into Committee of Supply on the Civil Service Estimates.

The Special Commission have continued their sittings, and witnesses have been called to prove boycotting and outrage. Two men swore that, having joined the Land League and subsequently been sworn as Fenians, they took part in moon-lighting expeditions.

A Cabinet Council was held on Saturday, at which all the Ministers were present except Lord Knutsford and Lord Ashbourne.

At the Lord Mayor's banquet on Friday last Lord Salisbury, in his speech, referred to the armed conditions of Europe, and said that, without expressing apprehensions of a disturbance of peace, he felt that it was incumbent on this country to increase her defensive preparations.

Lord Salisbury and Lord Hartington were entertained on Wednesday at a banquet by the Unionist Nonconformist Association, when an address was presented from Nonconformist ministers in Ireland deprecating Home Rule, to which both the noble guests replied in eloquent speeches.

A gentleman, who is believed to have been Mr. Pyne M. P., was drowned on Tuesday night by falling or throwing himself from the deck of a Dublin steamer.

Field-Marshal the Earl of Lucan died on Saturday, in his 80th year.

The Rev. W. H. Iggulden, of Stamford, was seized with apoplexy while preaching on Sunday, and died shortly afterwards.

Sir Richard Baggallay, late one of the Lords Justices of Appeal, died on Tuesday, aged 72.

Mr. Demain Saunders, a magistrate of Hertfordshire, died suddenly on Sunday in Rayford Church.

A meeting of some 4,000 people was held on Sunday in Hyde Park to commemorate "Bloody Sunday," the execution of the Chicago Anarchists, and the occasion last year when a meeting in Trafalgar-square was broken up by the police. Some violent speeches were delivered by Mr. Cuningham Graham, M. P., and others, but there was no disturbance.

Another awful murder was committed in Whitechapel on Friday morning. The body of a women was found in her room nearly decapitated, and the trunk ripped open. Up to the present time the murderer has not been discovered.

A portion of some new buildings in course of erection in Great Titchfield-street, Oxford-street, suddenly fell in on Friday, and five workman were killed, 16 others being more or less injured.

Levi Bartlett, an eldery man, who was convicted of the murder of his wife, was executed on Tuesday in Newgate Prison.

Mr. W. H. K. Redmond, M.P., was released unconditionally on Monday from Wexford Goal.

Mr. Sheehy, M. P. was convicted on Tuesday at Killarney of using threatening language towards the police and, refusing to give securities for good behaviour, he was sentenced to a month's imprisonment.

The appeal of the Mayor of Sligo, Mr. M'Hugh, against a sentence of six months' imprisonment for publishing in his newspaper, the *Sligo Champion*, a justification for boycotting, was rejected on Saturday by the County Court Judge.

The caretaker of a farm from which a tenant had been evicted at Kilbarry, Cork, was shot dead on Tuesday night.

OBITUARY.—Maj.-Gen. W. M. Strover, Ben. Ret.; Thomas Clarke, Esq., late Mad. C.S.; Lieut-Col J. Cadenhead, Mad. Ret.; Maj-Gen. C. M. Ducat, Bo. Ret.; Lieut-Col. H. Aston, Bo. Ret.; the Earl of Lucan, G. C. B.; Sir R. F. Thomson, G. C. M. G., C. I. E.; Gen. Sir Charles Ellice, G. C. B.; Col. W. H. C. Wellesley; Maj-Gen. J. Mitchell; Duke Maximilian of Bavaria; Lady Willoughby de Eresby; Miss F. Macaulay.

THE complete returns of the Presidential election in the United States show that General Harrison will receive 239 votes and Mr. Cleveland 162. The Senate and the House of Representatives will each contain a Republican majority.

The correspondence between the British and German Governments on the subject of a blockade of the East African Coast for the suppression of the slave trade has been published in Berlin as well as in London.

The German trading companies established in Africa are seeking to induce their Governments to take measures to assist their undertakings, but it is not considered likely that the Government will take any active steps in that direction.

The renewal of anti-French articles in the semi-official newspapers in Berlin has caused some excitement in Vienna, but it is suspected that one object of these articles is to induce the Austrian Government to hasten its intended increase of military strength.

It is announced that a new Russian loan of 20 million sterling has been arranged for with a Paris bank and Messrs. Hope of Amsterdam. The object is stated to be to complete the conversion of former loans, but the German papers believe that the money is intended for military purposes, and they call upon German capitalists to abstain from subscribing to it.

In the French Chamber, on Saturday, the War Estimates were discussed, and M. de Freycinet justified additional expenditure, which he estimated at 20 millions sterling.

At a Royalist banquet, at Marseilles, on Saturday, the Marquis de Broteuil, said that they were not the allies of General Boulanger, but that his name was adopted to express condemnation of the present system.

Demonstrations of students against the Conservative Government have been made at Seville, Madrid, and other towns, and it has become necessary to obtain the services of the military to restore order.

The first through express train from Paris arrived at Constantinople on Saturday.

The negotiations for a Commercial Treaty between Turkey and Germany have been successful, and the draft has been submitted to the Sultan for his approval.

A report comes from Tripoli that a great battle has been fought between the followers of the Mahdi and the people of Wadai, the country west of Darfur. The Mahdists were at first repulsed with loss, but subsequently they captured the town of Wadai.

The Arabs before Suakin continue to maintain a well-directed fire against the forts and town, doing some mischief. The garrison is not strong enough to dislodge the force intrenched before the place.

An election to the Newfoundland Legislature has resulted in the return of a candidate favourable to confederating with the Canadian Dominion.

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SUIT No. 135 OF 1888.

SHAPURJEE HORMASJEE .....Plaintiff,

vs.

FRED AHRLE.....Defendant.

By order of the Receiver, the undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 7th inst. at 2 p.m. at No. 53, Esplanade Road, Fort, the moveable property (photographic materials) belonging to the partnership of A. Ahrle and Co.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

AUCTION SALE OF THE MILLS OF THE NAWAB OF BAILA SPINNING, WEAVING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act of 1882, and in the matter of the Nawab of Baila Spinning, Weaving and Manufacturing Company, Limited, (in Liquidation).

Under instructions from the Official Liquidators (N. B. S. W. and M. Co. Ld), Messrs. Edwardes Jugjivandas and Adenji Javanji, is hereby notified that the property (Buildings, Tanks, Plant and Machinery) of the above named Mill (detailed as per printed List) will be sold by Public Auction by Messrs MEHRJEE JOHNSTON & Co., of Bombay, on MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1889, at 11 o'clock, in the forenoon, at the Mill premises.

The property is situated at Surat, outside the Sahara Gate, on the ground called Rasoda Baug, measuring about (59) acres and 25 gunthas, leased from the owner Jia-Oolnisha Ladli Begum Sahib, at an annual rent of Rs. 1,200 for a period of 99 years, commencing from the 1st November, 1851, a portion of which viz. 34 acres and 20 gunthas has been sublet to Dr. Nusserwanji Nowrozji Khambhata, for the same period at a annual rent of Rs. 1026. The present Government assessment, Municipal and Local Funds are paid by the owner, but any additional encumbrance hereafter on the ground is to be paid by the Company i. e., the purchaser.

Newly erected weaving factory, erected in the compound of mill premises, the machinery and buildings of which belong to Messrs. Vasanji Dalabhai, and Nichhabhai Dalabhai, and an agreement dated 21th October, 1883, passed by them to the Company, and consequently they are not included in the Company's property advertised for sale. Deeds of leases and agreement above referred to and duly executed are in the Gujarati language, and can be seen at any time during Office hours at the Official Liquidator's Office.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the Official Liquidators at their Office in Warillala, at Surat, or to the undersigned at their Office at Bombay, No. 4, Forbes and Medows Streets.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.

Bombay, December 4, 1888.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

On THURSDAY, the 6th inst., Messrs. MENESSE & Co, will hold the usual Weekly Auction Sale, at their rooms, of a quantity of grey and colored piece goods, twist, &c.

1 case white nansooks.

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1 „ colored handkerchiefs.

2 bales grey shirtings.

1 „ milton shawls.

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2 „ grey dhootees.

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OVERLAND SUMMARY, published weekly on the departure of English mail. 24 pages of the *Pall Mall Budget* size, containing all the information of the previous week carefully arranged ; Army Orders, &c. Indian subscription, Rs. 12 per year, free of postage. English subscription Rs. 17 per year, including postage.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE B I steamer Cocanada, Captain J M Simpson, sailed yesterday for Vingorla, Ratnagiri and Marmagoa with a general cargo.

THE sailing ship Kelat, 1,822 tons, Captain J Meksy, cleared yesterday for San Francisco, laden with a general cargo.

THE s s Kairos, 1,912 tons, Captain T Liddle, brought to Bombay on Saturday last a cargo of 3,614 tons coals for the B B & C I Ry Co from Cardiff. The vessel is consigned to Messrs J Mackintosh and Co.

THE British India steamer Pachumba, Captain J Pearson, arrived in Bombay yesterday afternoon from Karachi and the Kathiawad coast, with a general cargo and Mr Yardley, and Mr and Mrs Berry, as cabin and 672 deck, passengers.

THE Anchor line steamer Persia, 2,317, tons, Captain R Hutchinson, arrived in Bombay on Sunday evening, from Glasgow (Oct 30) and Liverpool (Nov 3) with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mrs Fletcher and infant, Mrs Harvey, Misses Marsell, Mason, and Williams, and Mr S Williams.

THE Austro-Hungarian Loyd's S N. Company's steamer Elektra, 2,095 tons, Captain P Mersa, arrived in port on Sunday from Hongkong, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Messrs E B Jackson, Armstrong, P Brower and Mr and Mrs Tucker, as cabin, and four deck.

THE Bombay harbour wore a *gala* appearance yesterday in honour on the arrival of the most Honourable the Marquess of Lansdowne. The vessels of the Royal Navy and the Indian Marine, as well as the Merchantile shipping in the harbour and docks and the Indian Marine flag staff were decorated with usual rain-bow fashion, with buntings of variegated colours.

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—DECEMBER 3.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Net Tonnage	Captains.	Sheds.	Company or Agents.
S.S. Persia.....	2317	R. Hutchison ...	B	W. & A. Graham & Co.
„ Sutlej	2103	W. D. Worcester	C	P. & O. Co.
„ C. Murray..	1372	E. Worfolk	F	F. Muir & Co.
„ Dunedin....	1418	R. Parrett	L	J. Mackintosh & Co.
„ Eden Hall..	2353	S. Hughes	M	E. Bates & Co.
„ City of Carthage	1716	W. M. Greive ..	O	Sir C. Forbes & Co.

VICTORIA DOCK.

			No.	
„ Horn Head .	1558	M. R. Tompson.	2	J. H. Heyen.
„ Singapore...	2432	G. Parodi	6	F. Bozzoni.
„ Borneida....	1499	De Negri.....	8	F. Bozzoni.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessel.	Commander	From.
1	Kairos (s)	Liddle	Cardiff, Oct. 27.
2	Elektra (s)	Mersa	Hongkong, Nov. 10.
	Persia (s)	Hutchison ..	Glasgow & Liverpool
3	Sutlej (s)	Worcester ...	London, Nov. 8.
	Pachumba (s)	Pearson	Karachi and Coast
	Queen of England.	Spencer	Bangkok.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
3	Satara (s)	Tice	Karachi and the Persian Gulf.
	Coconada (s).....	Simpson	Marmagoa, &c.
	Umballa (s)	Withers	Madras.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—

Steamer Persia, for Marseilles, Glasgow, &c.

„ Clan Murray, for Antwerp.

„ Elektra, for Trieste, &c.

„ Pachumba, for Karachi and Coasts.

„ Lombardy, for Mauritius.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 28.

Appleton, Vet Surgeon, Bombay, on remount duty, from Kirkee.

DECEMBER, 1.

Daly, Lt. Col., Royal Fusiliers, on leave, from Wellington.

DECEMBER 2.

Lowther, Lieut., 26th Bombay L. I., on duty, from Poona.

DECEMBER 3.

Ellis, Lieut., R. E., Madras, from leave, from England.

Poynder, Captain, 5th Madras L. I., from leave, from England,

Harrison, Lieut., Bombay, R. E., on duty, from Kirkee.

Pottinger, Brigadier-General, Secry. to Govt., on duty.

Barton-Phillipson, Lieut., 7th Dragoon Guards, on leave, from Umballa,

Lawrence, Colonel, 17th Bengal Cavalry, from furlough, from England.

Cameron, Surgeon-Major, Bengal, from furlough, from England.

Hooper, Brigade Surgeon, Bengal, from furlough., from England.

Stewart, Lieut., 1st Panjaub Cavalry, from furlough, from England.

DEPARTURES.—DECEMBER 2.

Westropp, 2nd Lieut., 14th Bombay L. I., on leave, to Poona.

Jacob, 2nd Lt., 14th Bombay L. I., on leave, to Poona.

Poynder, Captain, 5th Madras L. I., on rejoin, to Mandalay.

Ellis, Lieut., R. E., from leave, to Madras.

Thatcher, Captain. D. A. A. G. M. on inspn. duty, to Rajkote.

Hooper, Bde. Surgeon, to join, to Benares.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut-Col the Hon L H Bayley, Commandant.

B. V. R. C.

Bombay, December 4th 1888.

There will be Sword-drill for officers on Thursday next at 5-30 p.m. at the Volunteer Club.

2 Officers Commanding Companies are requested to make arrangements for their Recruits to commence class-firing without delay. Only a very small number have already done so.

3. The ranges will be reserved for W. I. R. A. practice and competition as follows :—One target on each range 6th, 7th and 8th inst. for practice. The whole range on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th inst. for competition.

4. It is notified that in future Volunteers living at Byculla who intend to fire class should present themselves at the ticket office on the arrival of the first train, when free tickets will be issued and the pass filled in by the Sergeant Instructor. This refers to the first train *only*.

Volunteer M. E. O'Tool having rejoined "A" Company is taken on the strength of the Corps from this date, and is awarded his former regimental No. 2588.

The following members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to Companies as follows :—No. 2751 Vol. E. Hopkins to "C" Company ; and No. 2752 Vol. C. S. Hewett to "D" Company.

6. Leave is granted as under :—Corpl. W. Medcalf, "A" Company, 6 months from this date ; and Vol. W. H. Redenhurst "A" Company, 3 months from this date.

There will be Company drill for "E," Company at the Gymkhana on Thursday morning next at 7 a.m. Rifles and side arms to be carried. Dress any.

By Order,

H. S. B. HODGKINSON,

Captain and Adjutant, B. V. R. C.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

BATTERY ORDERS

By Major G. W. Roughton, Commandant.

Bombay, December 4, 1888.

1. Gun-drill in the Arsenal Compound, on Wednesday and Friday mornings, at 6-30 a.m.

2. Repository drill at Head-quarters, on Wednesday evening, at 6-30 p.m.

3. Sword drill at Head-quarters, on Thursday evening, at 9 p.m.

4. On Saturday, the 8th instant, the Battery will parade near the Municipal Office at 4-15 p. m., and proceed by train to Colaba for heavy gun drill.

5. An Instructor will attend at Coorla on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 6-30 a.m. for Class firing.

By Order,

ARTHUR LESLIE, Capt. and Acting Adjutant, Bo. Vol. Artillery.

THE ARMY.

INDIA OFFICE, Nov. 9.

THE Queen has approved the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.—A. W. De Wilton, from the Connaught Rangers, dated Aug 22, 1886, but to rank from March 10, 1883. A. W. Warden, from the Hampshire Regt, dated June 24, 1887, but to rank from Feb 6, 1884. E. W. Bondier, from the Royal Artillery, dated Feb 19, 1887, but to rank from July 5, 1884. J. H. Oswald, from the Hampshire Regt, dated June, 1887, but to rank from Feb 7, 1885. A. Grant, from the Dorsetshire Regt, dated June 13, 1887, but to rank from Feb 7, 1885. C. T. W. Forth, from the Connaught Rangers, dated Jan. 29, 1887, but to rank from May 6, 1885. E. R. R. Swiney, from the East Surrey Regt, dated Nov. 27, 1886, but to rank from May 6, 1885. H. T. Dennys, from the Manchester Regt, dated May 30, 1887, but to rank from Aug 29, 1885.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Lieutenants—S. L. Aplin, from the Royal Marine L. I., dated Jan. 13, 1887, but to rank from Sept. 1, 1883. S. A. Pearse, from the Welsh Regt., dated Feb. 3, 1887, but to rank from May 14, 1884. E. M. Jackson, from the Royal Scots, dated Jan. 30, 1887, but to rank from Aug. 23, 1884. A. W. Newbold, from the Royal Sussex Regt., dated Jan. 19, 1887, but to rank from Aug 23, 1884. A. F. P. Paxton from the York hire Regt., dated Jan. 14, 1887, but to rank from Feb. 28, 1885. J. Kendall, from the Royal Dublin Fusilliers, dated Feb. 14, 1887, but to rank from May 9, 1885. L. H. Walker, from the Duke of Cornwall's L.I., dated Feb. 4, 1887, but to rank from Aug. 29, 1885.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant to be Lieutenant—H. R. Mead, from the Durham L. I., dated Jan 9, 1887, but to rank from March 10, 1883.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 3.

REUTER'S London telegram of Saturday evening still quotes Silver at 42½d. per oz ; but through a private channel we learn that the price of the metal was 42 15-16d. Rupee Securities, Consols, and other financial items show no change from Friday's closing quotations. Two lakhs of extra Council Bills on Madras were placed at the previous rate of 1s. 4 15-32d.

In the Wheat and Mincing Lane Markets there was no further change in prices. The Imports of Linseed was 32,000 quarters, against 18,000 quarters less the week before. We have already brought advices regarding Cotton up to the latest telegraphic news received.

MONEY.—The Bank of Bombay return for the week ending on Saturday shows the following changes :—

Public Deposits at Head office...	Dec. Rs.	2,57,532
„ „ Branches ...Inc.	„	2,61,804
Other Deposits	„ „	8,75,499
Government Securities	Dec. „	3,98,737
Loans	„ „	3,03,271
Bills Discounted.....	„ „	5,51,702
Cash with other Banks.....	„ „	56,363
Cash and Currency Notes	Inc. „	20,31,190

In the open market money continues comparatively easy ; and it will be seen from the above figures that the Cash Balance of the Presidency Bank, but slightly affected by Government action during the past week, had increased by nearly 20¾ lakhs. Turning to the items which have principally contributed to this result, we find that private Deposits had become larger by some 8¾ lakhs, while in Loans and Discounts there had been a material diminution, the total falling off in trade requirements being represented by about 17¾ lakhs. This is what might have been expected looking to the state of business generally, and now that we have entered upon a month in which a holiday feeling is now more or less prevalent as a rule, we need not perhaps look for much change in the position of money till the turn of the year.

COTTON.—This market opened with a steady feeling this morning, but without much enquiry ; as the day advanced, however, dealers showed no disposition to accept previous rates for forward contracts, and succeeded eventually in establishing an advance of Re. 1 to Rs. 2 in arrival prices, rates for ready stuff remaining unaltered, the tone of the market being firm at closing. A line of Khangaum was booked for January-February delivery, at Rs. 215-8 ; and in ready Cotton only a moderate business was reported, consisting principally of Bengals, at Rs. 182-94½ according to quality ; Dhulia, at Rs. 205½-6½ ; Akola, at Rs. 210 ; and Chaligaum, at Rs. 204½ per candy.

The Chamber's telegraphic weather and crop summary under to-day's date reports a further fall of 35 cents. of rain at Khamgaum, and cloudy weather there and generally over the Oomrawuttee circle ; it adds that early arrivals of Barsee will show black leaf ; but that only slight damage to the Cotton was expected from the late rain in the Khangaum district. In the Dhollera circle the weather was favourable. At Wadwan the plants continued to show improvement, and flowering was advanced there and in the Khangaum and Dholera districts ; while at Bhownuggur the plants were flourishing, and ready for picking in some places. The dewfall was insufficient at Broach ; but the crop prospects were generally good, and picking had begun in some parts. Arrivals were expected early.

The WHEAT and SEED Markets have been closed to-day, owing to a Hindu holiday.

The Receipts of Produce into Bombay on Saturday were as follows :—

Cotton.....	3,387	bales
Wheat.....	2,500	cwt.
Linseed	5,014	„
Rapeseed	2,739	„
Gingellyseed	4,685	„

FREIGHTS are quiet with a little more enquiry for forward loading, but only at lower rates. The Clan Murray now in port has been taken up by speculators for Antwerp, at 24s. 6d. per ton.

EXCHANGE has been very steady to-day at yesterday's closing rates all round, though little business has been passing. Bank Telegraphic was obtainable, for December transfer at 1s. 4d, but found no takers to speak of, and we quote 1-32d. less for ready and to the end of January, and 1s. 4 7-16d. for February-March transfer. A small amount of 3 months' sight Credits was placed at 1s. 4 23-32d. for near delivery, and 1s. 4 11-16d. for January-February ; and we quote current rates for this Paper to the end of January ; 1s. 4 11-16d. for March-April ; and 1s. 4 21-32d. for April-May delivery.

Bank Bills on demand.....1s. 4d.	per Rupee.
Do. Telegraphic ..... 1s 4 1-32d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight ..... 1s. 4d.	„
Credits do. ..... 1s. 4 23-32d.	„
Francs ..... 1 76½ to ¼	„

GOVERNMENT PAPER has been steady to-day at an advance of ⅛ per cent. on Saturday's closing quotations, both the cash price and the account rate for Fours having been 98 throughout the day. The nominal quotation for 4½ per cent. Paper is still 103¾.

SHARES.—Although there has been less doing in this market to-day the favourable feeling with regard to Mill Scrip has been sustained in most cases ; and we have to report an advance of Rs. 20 in James Greaves, at Rs. 700 ; of Rs. 10 in Manockji Petit at Rs. 1,235 ; and of Rs. 5 each in City of Bombay and Khatao Mucconji, at Rs. 1,020 and Rs. 780, respectively. Presidency are Rs. 10 down, at Rs. 985. Mofussil Press shares are Rs. 5 higher, at Rs. 412½ ; Bank of Bombay shares have further advanced Re. 1½, say to Rs. 917½ per share.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
INDIAN ANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay ...	20,000	600	all	13 pct.	917½
Bank of Bengal ...	48,000	600	all	10 do.	900
Bank of Madras ...	10,000	500	all	14 do.	825
EXCHANGE BANK .					
Agra Bank	10,000	8	8	6 do.	120
Hong. and Shang. ...ti Corporation	11,111	150	...	17½ do.	619
National Bank ...		6125	...		
India.....	87,14	250		5 pct.	130

PRESS COMPANIES

Akbar Cotton ...	200	1,250	1,250	Rs. 75	1,225
Albert Ginning Co. ...	100	500	500	Rs.	440
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	100	1,100	1,100	Rs. 100	840
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 20	250
Bellary	600	1,000	1,000	Rs. 20	215
Bruntz Dawsons P. Co., Ld	0	20	20	Rs. 15	100
Bombay Cotton Press.	100	12	125	Rs. 20	180
Dolana Press Co. ...	0	1,85	1,850	Rs. 0	625
East India Press Co. .	0	1,00	1,000	Rs. 130	1,175
English Press & Mfg. Co., Ld.....	400	200	...		285
Fort Press Co.	Lo	8,500	8,500	Rs. 0	1,425
French Press Co. ...	900	500	500	Rs. 80	500
Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Ld.	450	500	500	Rs.	40
Khamgaum Cotton Press Co.	244	450	all	Rs. 45	350
Manmar Manfg. Co ...	1,000	250	250	Rs. 2	200
Mercantile Press ...	1,500	125	125	Rs.	65
Mofussil Co.	1,000	400	400	Rs. 21	1,125
New Berar Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,200	600	600	Rs. 35	520
New Indian Press ...	1,000	125	125	Rs. 10	87½
Prince of W. Press ...	600	500	10	Rs.	380
Sabapathy Press Co. Ld. (Bellary)	600	500	500	Rs. 0	20
Sind Press Co.	400	2,000	75	Rs. 80	440
Ind & Punjaub Cotton Co. Ld.	10,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 12	4 0
Sassoon Press Co. ...	800	500	500	Rs.	1,225
Vulkart Press Co. ...	600	1,000	100	P	550

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock Ashdowns Co Ld.....	1,000	200	200	10 p ct	20
Badham Pile &Co. Ld.	750	200	150	5 p ct	151
Bapty Co., Ld.	4,000	100	100	Rs. 16	154xd
Bombay Land & Building Co., Ld	325		195	Nil.	
Bombay Flour Mills..	730	500	500	10 p.c.	500
Bombay Saw Mills ...	600	1,000	1,000	..	750on
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited	1,25	100	100	5	880
Bombay & Burmah Trading Corporation.	1,000	2,500	1,500	Rs. 135	3,325
Do. (3rd Issue	2,000	63	37½	Rs. 33½	9.0
Bombay Municipal Bonds				5 p.c.	98
Clydesdale Dyeing Co	1,000	500	500	..	490
Cooper, Macneill & Co.					
Deccan Paper Mills ..	2,000	200	100	Rs. 1	
Dyer & Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	Nil	470

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RAMS.]

PARIS.

PARIS, Dec. 2.

ing Deputies and the Government, the Cemetery at d wreaths on the ory of M. Baudin, n 1851.

no Boulangists present. In the were made Boulangism was de- arism. A conflict afterwards took some students and Boulangists. In Paris is quiet.

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CAIRO, Dec. 2.

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RAWFORD COMMISSION.

OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Dec. 3.

Commission resumed its sittings to- nant deposed that he was taken by Mr. Crawford's bungalow, and in an interview, witness was appointed lerk, but on the return of the perma- t, witness reverted. He then again mantrao, who said that the Commis- Rs. 1,000, and that if witness re- fused to give it he would lose his post. Witness hesitated, but Hanmantrao insisted and witness sub- sequently paid the money. He did not re- member the date; there was no one present at the interview. In September 1887 there was a vacancy, and Hanmantrao again asked witness for Rs. 1,000. Witness offered Rs. 500, which was accepted, and witness paid the amount, and was then gazetted to a mamlut. He was sent by Mr. Moore with a note to Mr. Ommaney, and has since been employed under Mr. Ommaney.

Cross-examined witness said, he did not make a statement to Bhimbai, but he saw him in Mr. Om- maney's office, and asked him to whom he should make his statement.

Mr. James Crawford put in witness' evidence in the Hanmantrao case, which showed he had then said that he had made a statement to Bhim- bai. He knew that Calonde was a great friend of Deshpande.

Re-examined by Mr. Latham: Nothing had been said to him about a mamlut since Mr. Craw- ford's suspension.

Anant Vishvanath Putwardhan, father of the last witness, deposed that about the end of 1886, his son asked him for money. Witness gave him the key of his box, and his son took Rs. 500, saying he wanted it for the sahe b.

AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE.

On the Court re-assembling, Mr. Latham made an application to bring forward a fresh charge against Mr. Crawford. The charge he said was a very important one, resembling the Bhore case. Mr. Crawford was charged with receiving Rupees ten thousand in two instalments from the Raja of Akalkote. The Raja would be called as a witness Mr. Latham suggested that the Commission should this case as a fresh commission on the nt charges.

said he could not give an answer and Balkrishna Kasnavi's case was with. The informant deposed that he was the Mamlutdar of Khed. He saw Hanmantrao in Poona, in August 1886. Hanmantrao took him to Mr. Crawford who told him to do whatever he was told by Hanmantrao. The latter demanded Rs. 2,500 as soon as possible. Witness took Rs. 700 from his father-in-law and sent the amount registered to Hanmantrao; subsequently he sent Rs. 500 more, and on receipt of a letter from Hanmantrao, he afterwards paid Rs. 400 more to a marwaree. He had destroyed the receipt. The Court then rose.

LORD CONNEMARA AT THE SAIDAPET AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Dec. 3.

The Governor, with Lord Jersey and Mr. Ashton, visited the Saidapet Agricultural College this morning. The students presented an address to his Excellency. The Governor found on inquiry that most of the students were sons of agriculturists, or likely to inherit land; and that most of them intended to devote themselves to agriculture. Lord Connemara impressed upon the students the supreme importance of clean cultivation, and the use of manure.

CRICKET MATCH.

MADRAS *VS.* BANGALORE.

The Madras eleven scored 249 and 361 in the two innings, while Bangalore scored 574 in the first innings, and 42 in the second innings for one wicket, thus winning by nine wickets and six runs. For Madras, Mr. Pears scored 130, and Mr. Hazelton 117. In both innings for Bangalore, Mr. Sandford scored 95, Mr. Davy 177, and Sir Charles Cuyler 88.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF TELEGRAPHS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, Dec. 3.

Sir Albert Cappel, the Director-General of Telegraphs, obtains fifteen month's extension of furlough, and afterwards retires from the service.

A DISCLAIMER.

The *Pioneer* says that the statement of the *Bombay Gazette* that three judges of the High Court did not send a remonstrance to the local Government against the retenton in the magisterial office of men who have bought their places, is not true. The High Court after considering the ques- tion, apparently could not come to a united protest, but the minority who voted for such action, have taken their own line.

LORD SALISBURY ON MR. DADABHAI NAOROJI.

The *Pioneer* entirely discredits the report tele- graphed to Bombay from home to the effect that Lord Salisbury, in his Edinburgh speech, had styled Mr. Dadabhai Naoroji a black man.

THE HYDERABAD (DECCAN) MINING SCANDAL.

The Nizam's Government have submitted to Mr. Watson a certain offer, and the *Pioneer* hears that the Nizam's solicitors in London have, by telegram, conveyed Mr. Watson's refusal to deliver up, or cancel, a single share. It seems that the Nizam was willing to sacrifice the rights of the State in order to let the shareholders down easily, and even at the cost of securing to Mr. Watson the bulk of his gains. It will now have to be decided by the English Court of Law whether Mr. Watson obtained his concession by corrupting a State official.

THE NATIONAL CONGRESS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

At a special meeting of the Eurasian and Anglo- Indian Association held to consider the question of the National Congress, it was unanimously re- solved that the Committee having considered the question of the National Congress, its aim and objects as at present advised, cannot recommend the Association to join the movement.

THE OUDH TALUQDARS AND THE VICEROY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

The Viceroy receives a deputation of the Taluqdars of Oudh on Wednesday.

THE BENGALEE LADIES' ASSOCIATION.

The members of the Bengalee Ladies' Association will present an address to the Marchioness of Dufferin tomorrow afternoon.

ARRIVAL OF THE MAHARAJAH OF BHURTPORE AT CALCUTTA.

The Maharaja of Bhurtpore arrived this morning under the usual salute.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LONDON, Dec. 1.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Kangra, left here for Bombay and Kurrachee this morning.

SUEZ, Dec. 1.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Dorunda, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras and Colombo, left here this afternoon.

SUEZ, Dec. 2.

The Anchor Line s. s. Nubia, left here for Bombay to-day at 11 a.m.

ADEN, Dec. 2.

The Italian Mail steamer Damenico Baldinno, left here for Bombay to-day at noon.

KARACHI, Dec. 2.

The M. M. s.s. Labourdonnais, left Kurrachee this afternoon at 3 o'clock and is expected in Bombay to- day at noon.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Dec. 1.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady. Surats quiet.

Good Fair Dhollera	4⅞
Exchange on India, 30 days' sight	1-1⅛
2½ per cent. Consols for account	97⅛
3 per cent. French Rentes	82½
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	67
4½ per cent. ,,	70
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	105⅞
Bar Silver	42⅞

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(DECEMBER 3.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, per- fect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect. Cable Perim and Suakin are still interrupted.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

SUNDAY, NIGHT, Dec. 2.

10 p.m. ... 79·4

MONDAY, Dec. 3.

6 a.m. ... 76·9
10 a.m. ... 81·9
2 p.m. ... 85·4
4 p.m. ... 85·2

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

SIMLA, Dec. 3.—The barometer has commenced to rise again in the North East of India, but has fallen in the rest of India. Changes are small except in the extreme south of India, and in Sind, and in the west of Rajputana, where the barometer has fallen briskly. The barometer is lowest on the Malabar Coast, where nearly the tenth of an inch below the normal winds are unchanged. A rapid reduction of temperature occurred yesterday in the Bengal and Behar, averaging three degrees. Five stations in the South of the Peninsula report very light showers. Fine weather prevails generally except perhaps off the Malabar Coast, where strong North East monsoon prevails at present. The air is much drier in the south of India, where rain has practically ceased at present.

Indian Engineering gives in its current number a full page photo-tint drawing of the Cama Hospital.

SOME 750 miles of line, says a Calcutta paper, will shortly be, or have already been, opened as an addition to the Indian State Railway system. The details are as follows:—

Railway.	Sections.	Length Miles.	Date of open- ing.
North-Western	Ferozepore City Branch	2	1st Oct. '88.
Mehsana Vadnagar.	Kheralee Exten- sion	8	1st Dec. '88.
Bengal Nagpur	Nagpur to Raipur.	188	1st Dec. '88
Indian Midland	Bhopal to Jhansi	190	1st Jan. '88.
Nizam's. S. Ry.	Banskalu to British Frontier	22½	
Bezwada Extension.	British Frontier to Bezwada	21½	15th Jan. '89.
Southern Mahratta.	Harihar to Berur	80	Jan. '89.
Tirhoot. S. Ry	Baptiali to Per- binguo	14	1st Jan. '89.
Junagadh	Junagadh to Ve- rawal	50½	1st Jan. 89.
Burma	Prinnana to Man- dalay	164	Probably Feb. 89.

THE Will (dated Dec. 2, 1881), with a codicil (dated Aug. 5, 1886), of Mrs. Elizabeth Antrobus, late of 72, Coronation-road, Bristol, widow, who died on Sept. 21, was proved on Oct. 27 by Chris- tian Philip Sachs, John Goode and Henry Havard, the executors, the value of the personal estate ex- ceeding £11,000. The testatrix bequeaths £1100 South Indian Railway Stock to her nephew Henry Havard; £1200 Scinde Railway Stock, upon trust, for her brother, Charles Havard, for life; £1782 Annuities, upon trust, for George Havard; £1300 Madras Railway Stock, upon trust, for Edward Havard, for life, and then, upon further trust, for Louisa, his wife; £1500 Bombay and Baroda Rail- way Stock to his sister Sophia Sachs, upon trust, for her life; and on their respective deaths to the children of Edward Havard. The residue of her property she leaves between Henry, George, and Elizabeth Havard.

A LONDON corres pondent writes:—I hear that Lord Sackville, who will leave Washington in the course of a few days, will be made British Ambas- sador at Vienna. This is, of course, on the assumption that the Austrian Government makes no objection to his appointment.

THE correspondent of the *Daily News* at Vienna says:—I am informed that negotiations with re- gard to a meeting of the Emperors are being carri- ed on with hopes of ultimate success. The Emperor William wishes to have the Emperor Francis Joseph and the Czar return his visits in Berlin at the same time, but the Emperor of Austria, it is alleged, refuses to meet the latter if he declines to withdraw certain divisions of troops stationed on the Austrain frontier. The Emperor William is using all his influence with the Czar to induce him to grant this concession in the interest of peace.

MR. J. F. HOGAN, author of "The Irish in Australia," gives six reasons why Sir Henry Blake is not a welcome guest as Governor of Queensland He says that for the first time in Australian history an avowedly National party was returned to power by a large majority at the late Queensland general election. One of the principal planks of the plat- form thus inaugurated was hostile to any playing fast-and-loose with Australian interests, either by political or permanent officials. Sir T. M'Ilwraith, the first Premier of this National Ministry, is an ardent sympathiser with Irish autonomy, and he has four Irish colleagues in fully sympathy with the legislative aspirations of their native land. The Irish are a well organised fourth of all Queens- land, and they have the reputation of being the most intensely Nationalist of the million Irish Celts, now ranking as Australians.

A PARIS correspondent of the *New York Herald*, having interviewed Dhuleep Singh, writes:—Since the Maharajah's rupture with the English Govern- ment, who had refused his modest claim of £36,000,000 indemnity (reduced subsequently by him to £3,000,000) he has lived abroad, principally in Russia, and is said to be in the pay of the Czar. His description of the English race in general, as expressed in the course of his conversation with the correspondent, can hardly be reproduced in cold type, the terms being certainly Anglo-Saxon in their forcibleness, but unparliamentary "A thieving, hypocritical, Christian nation, grabbing at what does not belong to them all over the world!" he exclaimed. "Let them wait a bit. In less than three years—in less than two per- haps—and my 250,000,000 fellow countrymen will have driven them out of India. I am working quietly, secretly, but none the less surely, and in the long-run we will see who shall prevail.' In reply to a question, his Highness said that his greatest difficulty now was to re-enter his own country, as the British Government watched him jealously wherever he went. "I am the proud and implacable foe of England. Individually, I do not hate Englishmen, from whom, during the course of my thirty-two years' residence in their country, I received much kindness; but, as a nation, I hate them. I am laying my plans for a grand *coup*,"

ENGLISH POLITICAL AND SOCIAL LETTER.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 16.

THE autumn sittings of Parliament opened tamely enough, but they have since become quite lively—so far as the House of Commons is con- cerned—and the proceedings of the popular Cham- ber promise to be still more exciting as the Session advances. The interest aroused earlier in the week by the sudden, though not altogether unexpected resignation of Sir Charles Warren, has not yet died out, and although nobody considers him an ideal head of the Metropolitan Police Force, there are not wanting signs of a reaction in his favour. But Sir Charles Warren's friends are to be found chiefly among the supporters of the Government, and they are precluded by loyalty to their party from saying all they could wish about the matter. In their opinion Sir Charles Warren has been sacrificed to the want of tact displayed by Mr. Matthews, and their fidelity to the Unionist cause will be put to a severe strain if a new Home Secretary is not soon obtained. When the news of Sir Charles Warren's resignation first became known it was supposed by the public to be connected with the inability of the police to discover the perpetrator of the latest and most savage of the series of inhuman outrages in the East End. It subsequently, however, tran- spired that Sir Charles Warren's resignation was in Mr. Matthews's hands on the 8th inst., while the murder in Dorset Street was not discovered until the following day. The ostensible cause of Sir Charles Warren's retirement from Scotland Yard was the snubbing he received from the Home Secretary for the breach of official etiquette com- mitted by him in writing, the now celebrated arti- cle in *Murray's Mag zine*. If it had not been the magazine article it would have been something else, for it has long been notorious that Mr. Mat- thews and Sir Charles were on anything but amicable terms, and the surprise expressed by Lord Randolph Churchill at the revelation that the Chief Commissioner had once previously tendered his resignation could hardly have been genuine. A section of the Ministerial Press, and not the least influential section, is disappointed that it is Sir Charles Warren, and not Mr. Matthews who has resigned. Mr. Matthews is almost as un- popular in the House of Commons as he is with Londoners, and everybody is asking how long he is to remain at the Home Office. He is the Jonah of the Ministry, and without attributing to him the power to wreck the Ministerial ship, there is no doubt that his presence in the Government is a source of weakness and discredit to the Unionist party. If Lord Ran- dolph Churchill's present feelings towards his former colleagues are really such as lobby gossips take a pleasure in describing, he must observe with ma- licious delight the trouble he has brought upon them by forcing Mr. Matthews on Lord Salisbury. Except for appearing to concede to popular clamour, for which he has a deep rooted aversion, the Prime Minister, it is said, would long ago have given Mr. Matthews a hint to retire. Perhaps his lordship is in a slight fix to know who he should put in Mr. Matthews's place if he did get rid of that gentle- man. Sir Henry James would make an excellent Home Secretary. He is not a novice in politics and in matters of the world like Mr. Matthews, and although a Unionist of the deepest dye he has never throughout the Home Rule controversy ex- cited the strong personal animosity of the Glad- stonian portion of the Liberal party as some of the Dissentients have done. Still although he is not unpopular with Liberals, he could not rely on his re-election being consented to without opposition, and as his seat is considered to be shaky he may hesitate before accepting the position if it were offered to him. Sir Henry has just been staying with Lord Salisbury, and it is assumed, probably not without reason, that his visit to Hatfield was not altogether unconnected with the possible va- cancy in the Ministry. Sir Henry, in the debates on the Parnell Commission, acted with the greatest circumspection, and people this week have been once more contrasting his conduct with that of the Attorney-General, Sir Richard Webster.

The Attorney-General has been very much in evidence this week, or rather his department has. Sir Richard Webster's lot has been not only to defend his own right to the present system by which he is able to undertake and receive pay for a good deal more work than he can perform, but to attempt to justify the existence of a number of other officials whose functions in the eyes of many persons are a mere survival of the good old days when jobbery was rampant in this country. Perhaps the papers have been a little too hard upon the first Law Officer of the Crown; it is his business to defend these sorts of things, and a Liberal Attorney- General would have done the same. That is no excuse for offices being retained when their *raison d'être*, if they ever had any, has passed away, and the public are greatly indebted to Tory Democracy as represented by Mr. Jennings and Lord Randolph Churchill, for its efforts to prevent some of the waste and extravagance of our public de- partments. Lord Randolph, both in and out of the House, has been greatly blamed for the strength of the language he used in the discussion on Tuesday night, but in describing the state of things men- tioned by Mr. Jennings as a "public scandal amounting to a national disgrace," in telling the Government that their "hereditary tactics" con- sisted in "humbugging and baffling the House of Commons," and in speaking of the salaries of legal officials as "absolute brigandage on the taxpayers of the country," the Ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer knew what he was about. To secure public attention to public abuses a little extravagance of language is sometimes not only pardonable but necessary. The Attorney-General must have been sorry that he lectured Lord Ran- dolph for his want of moderation, as if he had not done so that curious little story about the Lord Chancellor and the official referees might never have been related. The ugly name that was conferred upon the present keeper of the Queen's Conscience, namely, "The Lord High Jobber," seems likely to stick to the legal head of the Ministry. This is not the only disservice Lord Randolph has done the Government this week. His threatened opposition to the Bill to provide his ancient enemy, Mr. Chaplin, with a seat in the Cabinet as Minister of Agriculture has compelled the abolition of that long projected and bepraised measure.

It would seem that Lord Salisbury and his col- leagues are more afraid of the member for South Paddington than they are of the member for Mid Lothian, for in spite of his previously expressed intention to prevent any extension of the Ash- bourne Act this Session, the Government have fin- ally determined to ask Parliament for permission to raise another five millions sterling to buy out Irish landlords. There are rumours to-day of di- vided counsels and of the decision to ask for fresh powers not having been come to without consider- able difference of opinion in the Cabinet as to the propriety of that step in the present juncture of affairs. However that may be, the Government have been a long time making up their minds, and Mr. Smith's announcement last night took the House rather by surprise, as it was expected that the front bench would be satisfied with passing the Estimates this Session, and would be glad to leave all further legislation till next year. Mr. Smith had no sooner sat down, after making his explanation as to the Ministerial intentions, when Mr. Gladstone jumped up to announce that somebody on his side of the House—probably him- self—would move an amendment. This afternoon he has given notice of the terms of the proposition with which he will meet Mr. Balfour's Bill on Mon- day:—"That in lieu of the proceedings to vote a sum of five millions, so as to place the State in the direct relation of landlord to the Irish occupier under the provisions of the Land Purchase (Ireland) Act 1885, it is expedient, especially in view of the lamentable suffering caused by recent evictions in Ireland, to extend the provisions of the Land Purchase Act 1887, so as to empower the land courts to reduce or cancel arrears of rent that are excessive, as well as to deal with the rents themselves after the examples so recently and beneficially applied to the crofter's holdings in Scotland." If the Government can make good its claim that the five millions already expended under the Ashbourne Act has conferred immense benefit upon a large number of tenants and absolutely reconciled them to the existing political arrangements in Ireland, it will tend to disarm criticism, but the public are anxiously awaiting for the proofs of this statement, and in any case Mr. Smith's estimate that the Bill can pass through all its stages in five days is regarded as unduly sanguine, that is unless the closure is brought into extensive use. The acrimonious tone of the discussion last night on Dr. Barr shows that the spirit of the Irish members has not been broken by the proceedings of the Special Com- mission, and if the debates on Mr. Balfour's Bill prove to be as short as Mr. Smith imagines they are not unlikely to be unusually sharp. It is diffi- cult to see how the Government can expect to finish all the work before them by Christmas, probably they have no such expectation, and intend to merely adjourn for a few days. I venture to say that if the House is still sitting at Christmas the representatives of the Government as men of business and statesmen, will be greatly lowered in public estimation. They do not seem, for example, to rate at its proper value the agitation against the Tea and Wheel tax. Mr. Goschen, so far from showing any signs of relenting, seems obstinately determined to adhere to his proposals in spite of the fact that many of the supporters of the Govern- ment are openly, and others, including actually a member of the Ministry, secretly working to de- feat him. Then there is the Blake difficulty which will be made as much of as possible by the Irish members, and the possibility, if anything goes wrong of interminable questioning on the blockade of the East Coast of Africa. In politics it is not always prudent to prophesy, and matters may take a turn for the better, but judging from th present outlook it does not seem as if the Govern- ment were likely to have a very festive Christ- mas.

The banquet given a few evenings ago by the Nonconformists—or to speak by the card, the non- Episcopalians—of Ireland to the two Marquesses, though it has not exactly fallen flat has failed to create quite the impression that was intended. It will not have the effect of turning the English Dissenters from Mr. Glandstone, and it was hard- ly necessary for these worthy gentlemen who assembled at the Hotel Metropole to come all the way from Ireland to tell us what we knew very well before that, with a comparatively few except- ions, the Protestants there are not in sympathy with the Home Rule movement. But it was natural—though apart from the Irish question slightly *bizarre*—for the Irish Unionists to wish to show their gratitude to the official and un- official heads of the Unionist party, and if the public mind had not been so greatly preoccupied with other matters the manner of showing their feeling would possibly have been valuable from the electioneering point of view. Considering the con- nections and tastes of the two hosts, I shall, perhaps, not be guilty of an undue assumption if I observe that the evening spent in the society of their rever- end guests was not the most congenial and pleasant of their lives. Lord Salisbury was as cynical and Lord Hartington as unimaginative as usual. In- deed, the former surpassed himself, for he has thrown consternation into the camp of the Imperial Federationists by sarcastically declaring that he thinks no more of the federation of the widely- scattered British Empire than does Mr. Bright. "We are sometimes told," said the Premier, "that we are preparing a federation of the Empire. I wonder if any of you has the faintest idea of what it means? To my mind it means ten letters which constitute the word 'federation', and it means nothing else." However true it may be (and of course on such a point men's opinions differ widely) this does seem an unfortunate observation for a Prime Minister of England to make, especially at a moment when the greatest care should be taken not to say anything calculated to wound the susceptibilities of our Colonial cousins. We are told on authority which, I fear, cannot be considered unimpeachable that in the colonies there is a widespread conviction that of all persons in the world Lord Salisbury has the least regard for the colonies. I do not suppose that his lordship in what he said at the Hotel Metropole on Wednesday night wished to imply anything disrespectful of our kin beyond the sea, but knowing how sensitive they are, the wonder is that he should not have been more cautious in his language. Imperial Fe- deration may be an impossible ideal, but at any rate it is a harmless one, and it does not become the principal Minister of Her Majesty to throw cold water on a scheme which, however fanciful and impracticable it may appear in the eyes of some persons, has, at any rate, done something to cultivate a feeling of affection between the mother country and her distant offshoots.

Of the special commission there is little to say. From the space devoted to its proceedings by the newspapers, person, at a distance might suppose that the evidence now being given before the three judges is absorbing public attention. Nothing could be further from the truth But if such pain- ful scenes as that which took place this afternoon when Sir James Hannen lost his temper under some provocation from Mr. Tim Harrington are to be of frequent occurrence there will be a revival of interest in the investigations of the Commission. It may be noticed, as a rather singular fact, that although Mr. Justice Smith not infrequently inter- polates a remark and occasionally expresses con- currence with an opinion that has been expressed by the President, Mr. Justice Day, though the se- nior in age and service, has never once opened his lips since the inquiry was entered upon. It has been suggested, though not seriously, that in order to save expense the eminent and costly counsel en- gaged to defend Mr. Parnell and other members of the Irish party should abstain from attending the court while the present class of witnesses are being examineds, and not put in an appearance again un- til there is something for them to deal with. This as much as to say that hitherto the evidence so far as it affects the Parnellites is worthless, and although it is for the most part stale and dry we must wait to see what use he makes of it before passing quite so sweeping a denunciation of the Attorney-General's case. By the way, I forgot to mention in referring above to the debate in the House of Commons on the Law Officers of the Crown that Sir Henry James did not hesitate to condemn the practice of the Attorney-General for the time being taking private business. I believe that when Sir H. James filled that responsible position he refused all except Government briefs. To return to the special commission, it is rumoured in the lobbies that the question as to the authenticity of the famous letters is to be reserved by the *Times* until the very end of their case. In the opinion of the Parnellites and their friends this is a prudent course to adopt, for they hold very strongly that if they prove the documents in question to be forge- ries—and of their ability to do so they are still very confident—the case would practically collapse.

THE BHULESHWAR WARD MEETING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Mr. Banaji says in the letter which appeared in your paper:—"As the report of the Bhuleshwar ward meeting in your paper of the 24th ult. is, in my opinion, one-sided, I am obliged to put the facts of the case before you."

Now, in the first place, there is no report whatever with reference to the meeting in that day's issue. Besides he has not shown, or at least endeavoured to show, how the report, to which he refers is one-sided. If he really wished to criticise the protest, he could have surely done it without perverting or avoiding the facts stated in the protest. It is a pity that Mr. Banaji should have ventured to pronounce his judg- ment on the protest before it was properly considered by the Ratepayers' Association, to whom it was sent for final disposal. Mr. Banaji puts the following words in the mouth of the protesting members, "the meeting consisted mostly of outsiders." The protest says nothing of the kind, and I do not see why the enthusiastic secretary should have gone out of his way to distort the plain allegations made in the protest. I think I have a right to challenge him in return to prove the allegation he ascribes to the protestants. Again, the signatories to the protest never said that "the meet- ing was not held in a central position." This again is incorrect. The real objection was that there being factions in the Bhatia community, the meeting ought to have been held in a place where none of the parties concerned would have any objection to attend. The futility of Mr. Banaji's argument has already been exposed by a vernacular paper, and the only thing that I can do here regarding this point is to repeat my challenge. Mr. Banaji has not explained why the names of persons who were neither voters nor even residents of the ward were placed on the list of the members of the Standing Committee to the exclusion of persons who are deeply interested in the welfare of the ward. This central point he has ski- fully avoided, but it makes me the more anxious to know what right non-voters and outsiders have to meddle with the affairs of other wards. Six out- siders, one of whom *at least* is long known to be hostile to some of the influential signatories to the protest, took a prominent part in the proceedings of that day. The question is who invited them to play the part they did? Was it by accident that they turned up on the occasion? The general body of voters of the ward never implored their kind assistance. The conclusion is irresistible that some of the members of the Association in their over-anxiety for the welfare of the city put them forward to make eloquent speeches in support of resolutions that were manufactured and practically passed by the moving spirits of the Association. Lastly, I have to challenge Mr. Banaji to disclose the name of the persons who manufactured and printed the list which was read at the meeting, and also to indicate the principle that has been followed in the selection of members whose names have been placed on the Standing Committee. Now I hope he will see that it is not always wise to make unwise challenges.—Yours, &c.,

Dec. 1. LUKHMIDASS BHIMJEE.

BOMBAY COTTON MILLS.

THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—One of the first philanthropic acts of the late Lord Shaftsbury was to move the Legislature in England to pass the Factory Act limiting the time for work in the Lancashire cotton mills. It is full time, I think, that the Government of India should move in this matter, for I hear that in Bombay the mill hands are kept at work from daylight to nightfall, and that they are fairly exhausted by the end of the day.

To say that much of them work by contract, or piecework is no excuse for this drudgery. No doubt many poor people will consent to half kill themselves from a covetous desire to earn a little more. But this is false economy, and will in the end damage both employer and employes. I am glad to hear that the Manchester Chamber of Commerce have passed a resolution that the British Factory Act limiting hours of labours of women and children should, as soon as possible, be extended to the textile factories of British India. But while this is so far good, I fear the Powers that be in India may be slow to move in a matter which does not directly concern the policy of the State or the Imperial revenue. I therefore hope that the question will be vigorously taken up by the public papers, and that the leaders of society will give no peace to the Government until the Legisla- ture enacts a law affording the necessary relief to her 40,000 people who are occupied in the Bombay mills alone, to say nothing of other parts of India where textile factories are increasing year by year. I was astonished to find that Surat and Baroda moved in this direction, while in the forwardCity of Ahmedabad, which has no less than fourteen cotton mills busily at work, the hours of labour are far beyond the norma limit of human endurance.—Yours, &c.

Ahmedabad, Dec. 2. THOMAS EVANS.

MILITARY NEWS.

SURGEON C. G. WOODS, M. S., having returned from the Black Mountain Expedition, has been directed to proceed to Benares, and resume his substantive duties at that station.

SURGEON W. HEFFERNAN, M. S., who has just re- ported his arrival from England, has been directed to remain in the Allahabad district. He has accordingly been attached to the Station Hospital at Cawnpore for duty until further orders.

OUR NEW VICEROY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

S. S. Sutlej, Lat. 18-20 N., Long. 17-40 E.

SUNDAY EVENING, Dec. 2.

VICTORIA TO BRINDISI.

THE Charing Cross (S. E. Railway) authorities were disappointed on Friday evening, Nov. 16. They supposed the Viceroy-designate and his party intended proceeding to Dover from their station, and, in consequence, provided the most rigorous arrangements for the exclusion of all who were not travelling and a few friends of each pas- senger. Nothing of the kind need have been done. For, as might have been supposed, considering many things not the least being the locality of the station, Victoria was chosen by Lord Lansdowne as the point of departure. The departure itself was entirely of a private nature, and the large party who accompanied the Marquis and Marchioness to the station consisted almost exclusively of members of their respective families and personal friends. During the period immediately antece- dent to his departure, the new Viceroy was in constant communication with her Majesty's Gov- ernment, with Viscount Cross, and with a number of the higher officials at the India Office. His Excellency also, as you will see from the newspapers reaching you to-morrow, received several deputations from commercial and other bodies interested in India. The last of the round of farewell visits which Lord Lansdowne made was that to Sandringham, where he was the guest of the Prince of Wales. The Prince called at Lansdowne House on the day of departure to wish Lord Lansdowne *bon voyage*.

Colonel Ardagh, contrary to expectation, found himself able to accompany Lord Lansdowne, but was unable to secure a berth in the sleeping car, and, therefore, left London in the forenoon of Friday.

Lord and Lady Lansdowne, with Captain Streat- feild and Lady Florence Streatfeild, occupied that portion of the sleeping car usually reserved for ladies. The journey across France and Italy, which was accomplished just within the time allowed, was devoid of special incident, and was, on the whole, as pleasant as such a journey ever can be. Certainly, the travellers by the train were favoured with the most magnificent weather for passing through the Alpine scenery on the French side of the Mont Cenis tunnel. A full moon shone brightly in a cloudless sky, the moun- tains were capped with snow, the rivers ran full and noisily: the scenery was at its best. Indeed, so much was this the case that Lord Lansdowne declared it reminded him of some parts of the Rocky Mountains, which were not a whit more grand or entrancing.

The Sutlej left Brindisi shortly before daybreak, having the following members of the Viceregal party on board, some of whom proceeded from London:—

The Marquis of Lansdowne, G. C. M. G. P. C.,	Capt H Streatfeild (Grena- dier Guards), A-D-C
The Marchioness of Lans- downe	Capt and Hon C Hrbord, (Scots Guards), A.-D-C
Lady Evelyn Fitzmaurice	Lieut H A Patenham,
Lady Beatrice Fitzmaurice	(Grenadier Guards, A-D-C
Lady Maud Arkwright	Dr K H Fenn, MD, Cold-
Lady Florence Streatfeild	stream Guards (surgeon.
Miss Bacon	Mr Fenn
Col J C Ardagh, C.B, RE	2 nurses and 3 children
Private Secretary	2 maids
	1 man servant

SUEZ TO BOMBAY.

"We have, all of us, heard of the Red Sea and its discomforts, but, with such a pleasant time as we have just been passing through, our recollec- tions of the Sea will be of a very interesting nature. And, if the position in which we find ourselves, forbids we should throw bouquets to those who have entertained us, at least we know that if we could have thus shown our appreciation we would have done so." In some such wise as this did Lord Lansdowne, a week ago yesterday, on behalf of his fellow-passengers express the gratitu- tude we all felt to Captain Worcester and those ladies and gentlemen who had contributed to our enjoyment for two hours by a varied and interest- ing concert. Lord Lansdowne's cheery words and hearty mode of utterance did us all good. We were beginning to feel as though we had been deceived, and that to cherish a morose disposition was a Christian virtue. What had we not been told, and what had we not ourselves said to envious friends, about the voyage to India at this period of the year being a yawning of the most pleasant of seas, a prolonged picnic that was to be all joyance and exquisite delight! And, here we were in the Red Sea, gasping because of the heat, unhappy because a strong head-wind caused our ports to be closed, and, amid it all, the good ship Sutlej showing that though she is one of the most comfortable of the P. & O. fleet, she most certainly is not endowed with greyhound speed, and that Capt. Worcester had all his work before him to reach Bombay in time to save the tempers and sweeten the dispositions of the officials and others who were already under orders to assemble on the Apollo Bunder at or about 7 a.m., on Monday, December 3rd. Shaming our pessimism came the words I have quoted, and the hearty voice soared away our jaded thoughts, and made us rejoice fully one or another, "The man who can so think and so speak (for Lord Lansdowne said much more than I have quoted) with deserts on either hand and a tem- perature worthy of the hottest valley in Sind em- bracing us and giving us each his own wet blanket ought to be good enough to overcome any difficulty which, during the coming five years, he may encounter." It is clear, from our ex- perience of wind-storm and fiery heat that Lord Lansdowne is no cloud-compelling Jove, at whose words difficulties forbear to come—else had head- winds ceased to blow: it is equally clear he is that better sort of personage for a world such as ours,—one who is not overcome by difficulties but instead himself overcomes all obstacles. It alarms me to think of the many scores of time Lord Lansdowne will have to recall his Red Sea experience of the past few days, be as brave in presence of troubles impalpable to the eye but very present to the mind as he was in the furnace between Suez and Perim.

It was, I think, Itudus Pritchard, when he edited the *Delhi Gazette* in the palmy pre-*Pioneer* days, who, when Lord Mayo was coming to India in 1868, drew us a graphic picture of an earnest man struggling with difficulties. The scene was a P. and O. cabin in the Red Sea. The hero was the coming Viceroy seated en *deshabille*, with enough of gar- ments for decency and not too many for comfort, a wet towel round his head, iced "pegs" at either hand, the satrap soon to be was discovered deeply immersed in studying a scheme of European colonisation in the Indian hills, and, finally, came to the conclusion that in this scheme alone (which, of course, was Pritchard's own) of all the projects of the day, lay prosperity and safety for India. Pritchard was, after all, only indulging in the dream which every man with an idea on Indian administration cherishes—namely, that a new Viceroy spends his time in voyaging to India in considering one particular panacea for Indian woes, in compounding the one recipe warranted to ensure Indian prosperity. It is my book, or my pamphlet, each fondly imagines, which lies just inside the Viceregal book-box; it is what I have written which occupies the statesman's mind in the seclusion of his state room; and mine are the pages which are turned over with entranced attention when the great man leans back in his deck-chair, tempering the breezes which blow around him with mental food to stimulate and inform. It may be so. No doubt, every plan put forward—whether by Sir John Strachey, Sir Wm. Hunter, Mr. Dadabhai Naoroji, Mr. Robert H. Elliott—has been profoundly studied by Lord Lansdowne during the past fortnight. Or, again, it may be, the Colvin- Hume duel, the Syed Ahmed breathings and slaughterings, the fierce despatches announcing to provincial administrations that supreme authorities can take a "stand and deliver" attitude with the most redoubted knight of the road or improve upon the most persuasive argument of the Thug, that have occupied Viceregal attention. Far be it from me to reveal the secrets of this prison-house of ours: the skipper of this ship has on board a hawser with which he did marvellous things in the Suez Canal in February of this year, but that hawser is not strong enough to draw from me what a curious multitude in India is burning to learn about its new ruler. But I may hint at a fact which an examina- tion of the passenger list by any one knowing the *personnel* of India would learn for himself. And that is, in his fellow-passengers Lord Lansdowne could, if he so chose, find the Sutlej a microcosm of India. If the Governor-General elect cared to garner the experience of men who, officially and unofficially, have done India some service, submit- ting a dozen or more of his fellow-voyagers to examination, how splendid his opportunities! Would he care to know anything of Bombay, *urbs prima in India*, the first Indian city he would see there, there was the mature experience of the Collector of Broach and whilom Acting Secretary to the Bombay Government to tap? Did his Excellency want to know anything of the city itself—its commerce, its Port Trust, and its Muni- cipal Administration? There were at least four men who could enlighten him. As for Bengal an enquiring Viceroy would expe- rience an *embarras de richesse*. There were Mr. F. M. Halliday of the Board of Revenue, whose experience is great and whose knowledge (those who know him best say) is borne with too much of modesty; Mr. H. W. Grimley, whose twenty-five years of service in many cap

causes not within your control, but was due to unprecedentedly rough weather in the Red Sea.

All of us, whether those who are going to India for the first time, or those who have frequently made the journey, are unanimous in thinking that nothing could have been done by Commander and officers, under the voyage as comfortable as possible for one than has been done by you.

With all good wishes for yourself and your officers.

We beg to remain faithfully yours—

Lansdowne	Margaret Talbot
Maude Lansdowne	Evelyn Fitzmaurice
M L Grimley	W P C Lethbridge
W H Grimley, B C S	Maud Anson
T D Mackenzie, B C S	J Fachiri
F M Halliday, B C S	Amy Clark
M Halliday	Kate A Dunn
Coralie Barlow	Florence Hollis Chapman
Nora Grimley	Chas Groom
Percy C Lyon, B C S	W Goldring
de Rasteret	E E Mitchell
L S Lyon	Alex Gardner, Capt
Jeremiah Lyon	Alex Clark
Ch Schmalz	Geo Hopkins
Wm Hickens	Emily Peacock
Jas Muniford	Bertha Fenn
James G Smith	Hortense Berton
R G Palmer	W A Lawrence
J A Negroponte	Adelaide Lawrence
P G Davison	Jane C Burdon Sanderson
Richard Teape	M Thomas
H W Jones	Fred Venning, B C S
C H Grey	Nora Venning
J C Fenny, M D	Francis C Clayton
A B B Chapman	Charles Wallis
James Henderson	E H Fenn
Arthur Pakenham	Margaret C Goraon
Hugh Hill	W Home
Katie Harrison	C Cameron
Charles Harbord	J Williamson
Henry Streatfield	A C Wilson
J W Halliday	Elizabeth Hill
E A Thirlburn	Lionel Hearsey
J W J Sutherland	Chas G Poynder, M S C
George Robinson	A C Hearsey
Wm Digby	L E Hearsey
W E Frere	A H Hearsey
W F Rendell	M A Cameron
I Gordon	H Hilsmyre
W H Gardner	A Rix
Wm Birkmyre	Edith L Lyon
Hanstenberg	J C Ardagh, Col R E
Prence Streatfield	

Captain Worcester, in acknowledgment, said :—

Lord Lansdowne, Lady Lansdowne, Ladies and Gentlemen,—I thank you all for the great honour you have done me in presenting me with this address, and I wish I had words at my command to tell you as I would wish how extremely gratifying it is for us all at the end of a voyage to hear passengers express such satisfaction. I do not hesitate to say that this is the most anxious voyage I have ever made not only on account of the illustrious passengers we have on board, and that the eyes of England, India, and Canadia are upon this ship, but also on account of the adverse winds and weather experienced throughout the voyage, but where the honour is great the responsibility is great also. (Hear, hear.) You are kind enough to say you have had a pleasant voyage, but that is largely due to the great harmony and good feeling among you all; not a single complaint has reached me. And, may I say, that we, the passengers in, and officers of this ship will be proud to remember that to us alone was given the privilege of being the first to greet your Excellency when entering the first portion of the outlying territory over which you are about to rule. (Hear, hear.) Among the many who will watch your Viceroyalty with sympathetic interest none will more cordially wish you success in every endeavour than shall we. (Loud applause.)

THE WELCOME AT BOMBAY.

(BY OUR OWN REPORTERS.)

NOTWITHSTANDING the fears entertained as to the possibility, if not probability, that the s.s. Sutlej bearing the new Viceroy and Governor-General, the Marquess of Lansdowne, to India, would not, owing to the unfortunate detention of the vessel between Suez and Aden, arrive in Bombay until late in the morning, all Bombay was early astir yesterday. That there was some danger of the Sutlej not putting in an early appearance may be guessed from the notification that was issued on Sunday stating that it was only if the ship was signalled before seven o'clock, the programme of proceedings already published should be carried out, and that if the signal were not given until after nine o'clock, the reception ceremony would not commence till the late hour of a quarter past five in the evening. Still it was not to be taken for granted that although the Sutlej left Aden so late as she did, she would reach Bombay so far behind time as to interfere with the arrangements already made. So, early in the morning, and long ere the first rays of the rising sun gave token of the approach of day, the sound of the bugle, the tramp of hurrying feet, the clatter of horses hoofs, and the clink of sabres, told that the soldiery were awake and mustering. By a quarter to six all the men of the regular army and auxiliary forces were in readiness. Yet it was not known but that their early assembly might have been all of no use, and that ere long they might be disbanded again, for the three guns that were to signal the appearing on the horizon of the anxiously waited-for vessel remained silent.

THE SIGNAL IS CALLED.

At six, the desired [illegible] at Colaba, and announced to the city [illegible]. Soon the streets [illegible]rds of people, all [illegible] Apollo Bunder, [illegible]hour at which, [illegible]rangements, his [illegible]at the landing [illegible] and spaces for [illegible] occupied. And [illegible] which the Bunder [illegible] line from the steps at which the distinguished party was to land, right to the Wellington Fountain, was stretched a white canvas awning supported on either side by rows of blue Venetian masts. The decorations were profuse and gay, yet tasteful. From the tops of the Venetian masts, floated pennous and bannerets of almost every conceivable colour, while about half way up were fixed either shields, or crowns, or Prince of Wales feathers in gilt, surmounted with trophies of flags. Suspended from the awning on each side also were lines of scarlet and old gold coloured bunting, while the passage along which the Marquis and Lady Lansdowne were to walk to their carriage, was carpeted with red. All this bright colouring was, however, pleasingly relieved by festoons of evergreens suspended overhead, and which were hung around some of Venetian masts. Along the passage also on either side were placed closely to each other, pots of the shrubs of different kinds and young palms, which in a manner, gave the place the appearance of a conservatory.

The assembly, too, was a gay one, comprising the *elite* of Bombay, both European and Native, Civil and Military, while the Guard of honour, composed of a hundred members of the Gloucester Regiment under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Collingwood, all dressed in scarlet tunics and white helmets, and with fixed bayonets, added considerably to the imposing nature of the spectacle. Close to the landing steps, a square space was specially set apart for the members of the Municipal Corporation.

Amongst the first of the public officials to arrive on the Bunder were Mr. R. M. Sayani, President of the Corporation, and Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, C.S.I., chairman of the Town Council, who took their places about ten minutes past seven, they being followed shortly afterwards by Mr. Nanabhai Haridas, Judge at Bombay High Court. Exactly at half-past seven, the Commander-in-Chief, His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, marched along the passage, bowing pleasantly to those on either side whom he recognised, and stopped at the Bunder steps ready to receive his friends Lord and Lady Lansdowne on arrival.

While waiting, a glance round the harbour showed the vessels all in what might be termed holiday attire, streamers being hung from mast to mast, stretched in lines from the points of the masts to the decks; while men-of-war ships had their yards all manned.

THE LANDING.

Meanwhile the Government launch, having on board Captain J. Nugent, Chief Secretary to Government, Colonel the Hon'ble N. G. Lyttleton, Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor, Captain Hext, Director of Indian Marine, Captain Phayre, A.-D.C., to Lord Reay, and Captain Burn, A.-D.-C., to Lord Dufferin, who had come specially to Bombay to meet Lord Lansdowne, put off to the Sutlej. These gentlemen went on board the vessel, and presenting themselves to the Marquis, preparations were at once taken to proceed on shore.

Half-past seven was the hour appointed for the landing of the new Viceroy. It was only about ten minutes later than this when the launch reached the steps at the Apollo Bunder, which was the signal for a salute of thirty one guns, fired in alternate shots from the Saluting Battery and H. M. S. Turquoise anchored out in the harbour. His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught then went down the stair, and as the Marquis and his lady stepped ashore, shook hands with them, welcoming them to India. Escorting them upstairs, His Royal Highness presented Lord Lansdowne to Mr. Lee-Warner, Secretary to Government (Political Department) and then several of the Officers from the Garrison were introduced. Mr. Lee-Warner next brought forward Civil Officials, Foreign Consuls, and [illegible] Princes, the Marquis cordially shaking hands with each in turn.

The distinguished party then proceeded to the spot where the ceremony of presenting the Municipal Corporation address was to take place.

Amongst those assembled were :— H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught accompanied by Sir John MacNeil, Colonel Cavaye, Military Secretary; Capt. Fergusson and Rasaldar Major Dhokalsingh, A.D.C.'s; The Hon. J. B. Richey, C.S.I. the Hon. Sir Raymond West, C.I.E., Members of the Governor's Executive Council; Dr. Mylne, Lord Bishop of Bombay, the Hon. Justices Birdwood, Scott, Parsons and Nanabhai Haridas (of the Bombay High Court); the Hon. P. M. Mehta, the Hon. K. T. Telang, C.I.E., the Hon. E. Forbes Adam, C.I.E., and the [illegible] R. M. Sayani, (additional members of [illegible] Council); the Very Rev. Dr. Porter, [illegible]rchbishop of Bombay, Sir Jamsetji Jeejeebhoy, Bart., C.S.I., the Hon. Sir Dinshaw [illegible]kjee Petit, H. H. the Maharaja of [illegible], H. E. Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E., Prime [illegible]ter of Hyderabad, Prince Harbhamsingjee, [illegible] of H. H. the Thakoresaheb of Morvi, Prince [illegible]singhji, of Palitana, Prince Chattarsinghji, heir-apparent to the Rajpipla State, Senapatee Chief of Kapsey, Sirdar Ganpatrao Venayekrao Sanglekar, Sirdar Khanderao V. Raste, Brigadier-General Adam, Quarter-Master-General; Brigadier General, Knowles, Adjutant-General; Brigadier-General Heathcote, Commanding Bombay District; Brigadier-General Pottinger, Secretary to Government, Military Department; Capt. Hext, Director of Indian Marine; Capt. Stopland, Indian Marine; Capt. Arbuthnot, R.N.; Mr. J. Nugent, Chief Secretary to Government; Mr. W. Lee-Warner, Political Secretary; Mr. J. J. Heaton, Under-Secretary to Government, Political Department; Mr. F. Dee Atkins, Under-Secretary; Col. Walker, Superintendent Gun Carriage Factory; Col. Merewether, R.E., (Chairman Bombay Port Trust); Col. Shortland, R.A.; Mr. F. L. Charles, Acting Collector of Bombay; Mr. E. C. K. Ollivant, Municipal Commissioner; H. H. Aga Khan; H. H. Jangeeshaw; Mr. Ovan Hoffer, Consul for Sweden and Norway; F. Bozzoni, Consul for Italy; Mr. B. F. Farnham, American Consul; Mr. J. Janni, Austro-Hungarian Consul; M. Gasselin, French Consul; Mr. D. H. Glade, German Consul; H. E. Mirza Hosein Sheik Mahomed, Persian Consul-General; Mr. F. C. Menezes, Vice-Consul for Portugal; Dr. Sheik Esmael Effendi, Turkish Consul; Mr. D. Canto, Consul for Portugese India; Surgeon-General Pinkerton, I. M. D.; Surgeon-General Tomson, British Forces; Mr. Dosabhoy Framji, C.S.I., Chairman, Town Council; Colonel Wilson, Commissioner of Police; the Bishop of Damaun, Colonel Lockhart, Colonel Hibbert, Colonel Cunningham, Assistant Quarter-Master General; Major Martin, R.E.; Major Baird, Mint Master; Captain Hamilton, A.D.C. to Lord Reay; J. Monteath, Private Secretary to the Governor; Mr. Moreton Frewin; Mr. Grattan Geary; Mr. William Digby, C.I.E.; Mr. W. Hughes, Acting Secretary to Government, P. W. D.; Captain Rupel, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General; Captain MacMahon, Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General; Mr. J. W. Orr; Rev. Dr. Mackichan; Messrs. Framji D. Petit, Mahomed Ali Rogay, Furdoonji Jamsetji, Private Secretary to Sir Asman Jah, Mr. Bukhroodeen Tyabji, Mr. H. Gell, Colonel A. B. Portman, Rao Bahadoor V. N. Mandlik, C.S.I., Major Selby, R.E., Khan Bahadoor, M. C. Murzban, Dr. Weir, Health Officer, Messrs. J. R. Duxbury, H. W. Barrow, Javerilal Umiashanker, Drs. R. N. Khory and DeSouza, Messrs. K. N. Kabraji, R. M. Patel, A. M. Dharamsey, B. M. Servai, N. R. Ranina, Sorabji N. Cooper, Ardeshir F. Moos, G. Cotton, Damodar T. Moolji, Eknath R. Khote, Fazulbhoy Visram, E. R. Freeborn, A. M. Gubbay, Harkisondass Narotamdass, Jamsetji P. Kapadia, Cursondas Vullubdas, Cowasji D. Limji, K. M. Shroff, Mahomed Husein Hakim, Mulji Bhowanidas, Nanabhoy B. Jeejeebhoy, Nowroji B. Suntook, N. G. Chandawarkar, Nuzzer Mahomed Fattehali, Purshotamdas M. Nathoobhoy, Shewji Dharmaji, Tribhowandas M. Nathoobhoy, H. W. Uloth, Dr. C. F. Underwood, Vandrawandas Purshotamdas, Venayek R. Luxmonji, and others.

PRESENTATION OF ADDRESS.

The Hon. R. M. Sayani, President of the Municipal Corporation of the city, being introduced to his Excellency by Mr. Lee-Warner, the Viceroy elect shook hands with him, as well as with some other Councillors who were standing by.

The President then read the address, which was as follows :—

"To the Most Honourable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH BETTY FITZMAURICE, Marquess of Lansdowne, Earl Wycombe, Viscount Calne and Calustone, Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe, Earl of Kerry and Earl of Sheburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, G.C.M.G., P.G., &c., &c., &c.

May it please your Lordship,—We, the President and Members of the Corporation of Bombay, welcome you on setting foot on the soil of India. Like your distinguished predecessor, you have already, in the Dominion of Canada, borne the burden and the honours of a great Viceroyalty, and the experience acquired in the West will bear fruit in the still vaster Empire of Her Majesty in this hemisphere. Having served an apprenticeship in the India Office to the work of Indian administration, your Lordship comes to this country with special advantages.

2. We heard with pleasure of the generous appreciation to which you gave expression recently in London of the moral and material progress which has been achieved in India during the reign of her Gracious Majesty. We regard as of happy omen the declaration that under the new conditions it may be possible to bring into sympathetic co-operation with the Government the intelligence and loyalty of all classes, and that it would be your Lordship's endeavour to rule, not by force, but with the good-will of the people.

3. The advance which has been made in the application of the principles of Local Self-Government is nowhere more conspicuous than in this City. We confidently trust that your Lordship will, like your immediate predecessors, give free scope to Municipal institutions in India.

4. The defences of Bombay have been strengthened, and the works are still in progress. We venture to hope that your Lordship will give vigilant attention to the important duty of providing for the security of this and other Indian Ports, so that they may be rendered reasonably secure from the accidents of war.

5. It has given us pleasure to know that the Marchioness of Lansdowne has kindly undertaken to carry on the work of the Marchioness of Dufferin in organising the means of providing skilled medical aid to the women of India. In the furtherance of this excellent and most necessary object, the Marchioness of Lansdowne will be repaid by the gratitude which is the just reward of the benevolent exertions of her predecessor in that good work.

Bombay, 3rd December 1888."

The Common seal of the Municipal Corporation was affixed and the address signed by R. M. Sayani, president, W. Wynford Barrow, Municipal Secretary and Dosabhai Framjee and V. N. Mandlik, two members of the Standing Committee.

The address was beautifully illuminated on parchment, and was enclosed in a richly carved casket of silver, which bore the inscription :—"December 1888. Address from the Municipal Corporation of the city of Bombay to the Most Honorable the Marquess of Lansdowne, Viceroy and Governor-General, Designate of India." On its being handed over to the Marquess, his Lordship expressed his admiration of the beautiful workmanship of the casket.

LORD LANSDOWNE'S REPLY.

The Marquis of Lansdowne then replied as follows :—Mr. President, and members of the Municipal Corporation of the city of Bombay; I thank you heartily for the generous and cordial terms in which you have welcomed me; and I can assure you that we shall long remember the manner in which you have received us within your city. Sir, I shall not allow myself to forget that the courtesy which you have extended to me is not an indication entirely or mainly, of personal feeling towards myself. I believe it to be the manifestation of a feeling which I have no doubt is prevalent throughout British India, and which I am sure is prevalent in the city of Bombay,—a feeling of loyalty to the Queen-Empress, and of pride in membership of her empire,—a feeling which leads you to avail yourselves gladly of any opportunity of assuring the person, who happens to be Her Majesty's representative, of your sentiment of respect for him. At the same time, I think, I should be wanting, in frankness, as well as in gratitude, if I did not recognize in the words which you have used, some indication of personal interest and goodwill towards myself. And I can assure you that at the present moment those expressions of your sentiments are, in my eyes, of the very utmost value: for I can conceive no movement in the life of an Englishman more solemn than that in which he finds himself called upon to undertake the great task which is about to be committed to my hands. Whether he looks back towards the long line of illustrious men who have preceded him, and asks himself whether he will be given strength of mind and body to continue their work, or whether he looks forward to the many important questions which await solution at the hands of the Government of India, he must be infatuated, if he does not recognize that he is about to submit himself to an ordeal as severe as that to which any public man can expect to go through. At such a moment, the words of encouragement such as you have addressed to me, sound most gratefully on his ears. Let me say also that I do not think there is any body of public men in this country who could express sentiments of that kind with greater weight and greater authority than the Municipal Corporation of a great city such as yours—a city whose historical associations are amongst the most interesting and remarkable in the annals of the country,—a city which in our own time has achieved for itself a position, intellectually and commercially unsurpassed by that of any other city in this continent. Sir, I can assure you that any expressions of opinion on the part of such a city shall receive my most careful and earnest attention. I did not fail to take note of what fell from you in regard to the success which has been achieved by the extension of a large measure of local self-government to your city. Municipal institutions are on their trial in the great cities of India, and I am prepared to find,—I may say I am sure to find—in your city that they have achieved results not likely to disappoint the most sanguine advocates of that great and salutary measure of reform. (Hear, hear). I also noted what you said with regard to the duty, which you believe attached to your Government, of securing this part of the Empire against danger from external attack. I entirely recognize that it is one of the first duties of your Government to render the Queen's possessions in this part of the world so secure as to give the utmost scope to the progress of all peaceful pursuits. Mr. President, in dealing with this and the other great questions which concern the Government of India, those who are connected with it have the great advantage of being assisted by a body of public servants unrivalled in the service of any power in the world in respect of their intelligence, ability, and what I might almost call their traditional attitude for the conduct of public affairs. I trust that the support of that distinguished body of men will be extended to me as loyally as it has been given to my predecessors. But, Mr. President, I should be sorry to think that I was to depend merely upon the countenance and good-will of those who will be associated with me in the performance of official duties in this country. I trust that I may look for the sympathy and co-operation of the whole of the Queen's subjects in this part of India, whether official or unofficial. Mr. President, you refer in graceful terms to the fact that Lady Lansdowne has undertaken to continue the admirable work inaugurated by the Marchioness of Dufferin in this country. Let me say for Lady Lansdowne, as well as for myself, that it will be our earnest wish to associate ourselves with you in all your endeavours for the alleviation of distress, and for bringing within the reach of those who most require them, the appliances which science has devised for the relief of suffering humanity. Mr. President, I must not detain you longer. You were kind enough to refer, in passing, to my services under the Crown in another part of the Empire. The contrast between Canada and India is a very marked and striking one. We have left a cold climate for a warm one (Laughter). We have left a country, most of which has been recently settled, for a country with a very ancient and historical civilization. We have left a country, in which self-governing institutions are fully developed, for one in which they are being tried with cautious and tentative steps in regard to purely local affairs. I trust, however, that in one respect I shall find a resemblance between Canada and India. I trust I shall find that here, as well as there, loyalty to the Crown and attachment to the British Empire are terms as well understood in the one country as I found them understood amongst those good friends with whom I passed the last five years of my life in Canada. Sir, I thank you very cordially for your address. I shall preserve it, and I may express my great admiration of the manner in which it has been enshrined, and I accept it with the utmost gratitude and thanks for the courtesy which you have extended to me. (Cheers).

THE DEPARTURE FOR MALABAR POINT.

The band of the Gloucester Regiment having played "God save the Queen" and another cheer having been given, the Marquis and Marchioness of Lansdowne, and staff, accompanied by H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught and staff, proce eded along the Bunder to their carriages, in which a start was made for the Government House, Malabar Point.

The Duchess of Connaught, it ought to be added, attended by Miss Solly-Flood, witnessed the proceedings from the windows of the Yacht Club, leaving there immediately after the departure of the State carriage.

THE MILITARY ARRANGEMENTS.

A by no means small part was taken in the official reception of the new Viceroy, by the troops in Garrison and the local volunteers. From the Bunder as far as Church-Gate Station, the route was lined on either side by an imposing array of regulars and volunteers, over 1,800, in number. At the Bunder, Captain Latham commanded a guard of honour formed of a hundred rank and file, with band, of the Gloucester Regiment. The Royal Artillery,—Western Division—over 160 strong, then commenced the lines of troops that marked the route of the Viceregal party. Major Stopford was in command, and the other officers present were Captain Moberley, Sir J. Jervis and H. Slater, Lieutenants E. Cameron, T. Phillips, H. Leahy, and S. Lethbridge. From the Sailors' Home, the Gloucester Regiment, under Col. Collingwood, (387 in number,) paraded till near the Government Central Press. The officers present were Majors Lloyd-Dickie and F. Curtin, Captain H. Capel Cure, and Lieutenants S. Wilcock, E. St. G. Holbrook, F. Lock, K. Davie, H. Bruce, and H. Moss. The G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, 285 strong, under Captain Middleton, carried on the lines to the Municipal Offices, from which point the Bombay Volunteers, 327 in number, commanded by Colonel Bayley, paraded as far as the University Gardens. Here the B. B. and C. I. Railway Volunteers lined the road with a small force of 144 men, under the command of Major Luard, and from the National Bank, and in front of the Bombay Club a detachment of 124 troopers of the 3rd Queen's Own Light Cavalry, under Captain Gott, took up the lines as far as the Public Works Offices. The 4th Bombay Rifles, commanded by Major Forjett, (465 strong,) continued the lines round into Church Gate Street, between the General Post Office and the Public Works Office, and the Marine Battalion, with Major Mackay in command, completed the lining of the route, near Church Gate Station. Each regiment and corps was attended by its band, and as the Viceregal procession, escorted by the Bombay Light Horse as an advanced guard, and H. E. the Governor's Body Guard, passed on its way to Government House, a part of the National Anthem was played, and the troops presented arms. After Lord Lansdowne's carriage had passed, each regiment reformed ranks and marched to quarters.

The following gives the complete state of all the troops which took part in lining the streets :—

	Field Officers.	Capts.	Sub-alterns.	Total Men.
Bombay Light Horse. ...	...	1	1	29
Royal Artillery ...	2	3	4	167
Bombay V. Artillery ...	...	1	1	59
British Infantry	3	1	4	250
Volunteer Infantry ...	3	14	16	766
Native Cavalry.....	...	1	*5	90
„ Infantry	2	2	†20	747
Total ...	10	19	50	1,868

*4 Native Officers. †15 Native Officers.

THE ROUTE OF PROCESSION.

From an early hour in the morning, the populace of Bombay began to collect about the streets, anxious to secure a good point of vantage from which to view the Viceregal procession on its way from the Apollo Bunder to Malabar Point. Along the whole of Hornby Road, extending from the Crawford Markets to the Frere Fountain, and further on to the Bunder, the scene in the public streets was one of unusual bustle and excitement. Even little children had their share in the interest of the spectacle, and went forward gleefully in company of their parents, friends or relations. From the Frere Fountain up to the Bunder, the foot-paths on both sides were taken possession of by an immense mass of spectators large numbers of whom occupied the upper windows, balconies, or verandahs of the buildings along the line of the route of the Viceregal procession. The eastern facade of the Elphinstone College buildings presented unbroken lines of the bright faces of the students who had mustered in strong numbers on all the upper storeys.

THE DECORATIONS.

As regards the decorations which the loyalty of the citizens had prompted them to improvise for the occasion, the palm must be yielded to the splendid display of the flags of all nations at the Esplanade Hotel. From top to basement, the hotel was tastefully decorated with flags, the largest of them, which hung from the gallery on the first storey, reaching down to within a few feet of the road. The Municipal offices were decorated with flags on all the upper storeys. The Prince of Wales' Equestrian Statute was adorned with flags waving from Venetian poles fixed at its four corners. Over the roof of the Royal Alfred Sailors' Home waved the Union Jack. On the opposite side of the road, the Apollo Bunder made a liberal display of flags and bannerets. The P. and O. offices in Rampart Row looked pretty with a tasteful arrangement of large banners and streamers all over the buildings. The Wellington Fountain was at play; and its parapet walls were taken possession of by a mass of people who, as they stood in a circle, presented a unique spectacle. The throng of men and carriages was excessive at this part of the route. In Hornby Road, Southwell and Austin, Limited, was the only establishment that displayed a number of flags on all sides of their premises. In Rampart Row, large banners waved over the shops of Messrs. Hamilton and Company, Messrs. Favre Leuba and Company, and Mr. Ditmar, and from the premises overlooking them. Mr. N. H. Gheesta made an unambitious display of bannerets. Messrs. Phillips and Company's establishment was decorated with a costly display of flags and bannerets. The whole range of buildings from Messrs. Treacher and Company's to the National Bank, including the Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris, the Bombay Club, Messrs. Belton and Company, &c., was tastefully decorated for the occasion, large numbers of spectators crowding the verandahs of them all. It was at first intended that the Viceregal procession should pass along the Electric Telegraph Offices round the Queen's Statue; but in ignorance apparently, of the change that had subsequently to be made in the route, some one had provided an extraordinary, if not ludicrous, exhibition in the road just mentioned, evidently in the interest of the Cow Protection Society of Bombay. From the tops of the trees, and spanning the Esplanade Road from the Electric Telegraphic Office to the Queen's statue were stretched, at short distances from each other four pieces of white cloth with the following inscriptions in blue :—"The Cow is India's Foster Mother." "The Saving of the Cow will extend cultivation ;" "No Indian Agriculture without the Cow"; and "The Cow helps Indian Agriculture." The persons who got up the exhibition will be disappointed to learn that the Viceroy elect was not afforded an opportunity of appreciating the wonderful qualities of the cow as described in the placards under notice.

THE WELCOME BY THE CROWD.

Soon after 7-45 a.m., the booming of thirty-one guns from the saluting battery announced to the assembled multitudes that the Viceroy elect had first set his foot on an Indian shore. Every eye was turned in the direction of the Apollo Bunder to see the Viceregal procession emerge from the side of the Sailors' Home. In a few minutes more, the procession was seen approaching, preceded by scouts of the mounted police and the Bombay Light Horse. Lord Lansdowne was cheered at the Sassoon Mechanics' Institute, the Esplanade Hotel, and the Bombay Club which tributes of welcome he acknowledged by lifting his hat. Arriving at the Frere Fountain, which was left undecorated in any way, the procession turned into the road leading to the Church Gate Station, where again the throng of carriages and pedestrians was immense. Lord Lansdowne was again cheered at different points of the route and made his acknowledgements. At the Commodore's bungalow, which displayed a [illegible] of bannerets at the top of the house, the procession turned into Queen's Road. At the Marine Lines and the Charni Road Railway stations, there were crowds of spectators which were swelled enormously owing to the circumstance that yesterday was a Hindu holiday, when Hindu males and females consider it a religious duty to bathe in the sea. At the Adumjee Peerbhoy Sanitarium, there was again a large crowd of spectators, and Borah women, all of whom are *purdah* ladies, laying aside their customary bashfulness, appeared unveiled in the balconies of the sanitarium to have a look at the new "Burra Lord Saheb". At the Chowpatty level railway crossing, the railings and gate ways of which were decorated with flags and banners, there was a large crowd of spectators. At the foot of Malabar Hill, the escort of the Bombay Light Horse stopped near their riding school. The procession then moved on at a pretty sharp pace by the Governor's private sea road until it reached Malabar Point.

THE RECEPTION AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

It was about twenty minutes to nine o'clock that the Government state carriage drawn by four horses, with outriders, carrying the Viceregal party including the Marquis and Marchioness of Lansdowne, Colonel Ardagh, his Lordship's private secretary, and Colonel the Hon. N. G. Lyttleton, Military Secretary, to his Excellency the Governor, escorted by a detachment of His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard, arrived at Government House, Malabar Point. His Lordship, the new Viceroy, was received at the steps leading up to the Government House, by His Excellency the Governor Lord Reay, who shook hands with him under the portico, where were also assembled Lady Reay, Captain, R. J. Brooks A. D. C. to His Excellency the Governor and Surgeon-Major L. A. Irving. The guard of honour in attendance, consisted of one hundred rank and file of the 21st Bombay Infantry, with band and colours, under the command of Lieut. Montgomery. On the arrival of the Viceregal party, the order "present arms" was given, while the Band struck up the National Authem. His Lordship, after alighting from his carriage, and greetings having been cordially exchanged, inspected the Guard of Honour who were drawn up to attention in front of the main entrance. He walked along the ranks in company with his Private Secretary and other military officers, expressing himself on his return in a most complimentary manner, as to the appearance, and splendid physique of the soldiers. Then, while standing upon the Government House steps, he watched, with apparent interest, the Body Guard of H. E. the Governor as they rode past in single file. In the meanwhile, the Marchioness had been conducted to the reception hall by Lord and Lady Reay where the Marquis shortly afterwards joined them. After Lord Lansdowne's inspection, the Guard of Honour marched off headed by their band playing a lively air.

Gradually the crowds dispersed, all betaking themselves to their several houses and occupations. Soon the streets assumed their wonted aspect, so far as bustle and excitement was concerned, and the long talked of well-prepared event in the landing of our new Viceroy in Bombay, was over.

THE VICEROY AT THE SCHOOL OF ART.

In the afternoon, the Viceroy left Government House at about half past four, and drove along the Chowpati Sea Face, down Queen's Road, to the Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy School of Art. He was accompanied by the Governor, Col. Lyttleton and Captain Phayre, and was followed in another carriage by Lady Reay and Lady Florence Streatfield. The Viceregal party was received at the gate by Mr. J. Griffiths, the Superintendent of the School, who conducted the distinguished visitors through the different classes on the ground floor and upper storey, where the students were at work. There are over three hundred pupils studying at this institution, of whom about a dozen are girls. Lord Lansdowne evinced great interest in all he saw, especially in the models of native art, which were exhibited in the rooms.

His Lordship before taking his leave delivered a brief address. He said :—

Mr. Griffiths and Students of the School of Art.—I do not like to leave this building without expressing to you the great pleasure it has given me to pay a visit on this the first day of my residence in India to this Institution. I sometimes think, when I hear people talking of our efforts to teach art in this country, that we should be a little cautious as to how we attempt anything of the kind; because you have already in India so much good art of your own, that I think we Europeans should think twice before we arrogate to ourselves any superiority in regard to teaching you about with art. (Hear hear.) But I do not understand that your efforts here, Mr. Griffiths, and those of your staff, are directed to any thing like a supersession or removal of Indian art. On the contrary, I understand that it is your object to encourage Indian art in its best and noblest types, and we are well aware how excellent in all respects those types are. I may venture to tell you that nothing made a greater impression on my fellow countrymen in England than the admirable [illegible] exhibits of all kinds which were sent from this country to the great Exhibition held in London on the Jubilee anniversary of her Majesty the Queen-Empress. (Cheers). While I admit that to the full, and while I admit that we in Europe have a great deal to learn from you,—and we have learnt a great deal from you,—in matters of art, it is still possible that we may do you something to bring within your reach types and forms of art culture, with which you are not already familiar. The admirable collection of classical casts round this room are a fair illustration of my meaning; and I do not think any one, who loves art for the sake of art, can find nobler designs or nobler ideals of art than those supplied from such sources as these. I will only say one word more, and it is to express the satisfaction with which I noticed in this room, and from the room above, that art students are beginning, in a thoroughly conscientious and honest manner at the bottom of the tree so working up gradually from the first principles of copying unambitious and elementary models and designs to the top. I believe, Mr. Griffiths, what you told me just now was well within the mark, that the student who carried away the certificates of this institution, possessed credentials which would satisfy the public that he had a sound grounding in the principles of art. I have only once more to express the satisfaction which this visit has given me, and to wish you very cordially success in the career which you have chosen for yourselves and in which I have no doubt your studies here will yield most excellent fruits. (Cheers).

One of the students then stepped forward and recited some verses specially composed for the occasion, thanking his Excellency the Marquis of Lansdowne for his visit, and expressing gratitude to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, the founder of the Institution, as well as to Mr. Griffiths and his subordinates for their excellent teaching.

The Viceregal party then left amidst the hearty cheers of the students. Lord Lansdowne had a peep through the native town, being driven through Marvadi Bazaar and Mombadevi to Bhendy Bazaar, turning down to Grant Road and Chowpatty, on his way back to Malabar Point.

LORD LANSDOWNE ON INDIA.

SIR W. H. HOULDSWORTH, M.P., on the 15th ult. introduced to the new Viceroy of India at Lansdowne House a deputation from the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, who wished to lay before his Excellency the views of that body in reference to the development of the trade of India.

Mr. Gaddum (the President) urged that the Bill which had been introduced in India dealing with merchandise marks should be assimilated to the English Act, as the manufacturers of Lancashire wished to be protected from frauds which were continually occurring by reason of the marks not indicating the true lengths or the true widths of cotton goods.

Mr. Bythell, formerly President of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce, and member of the Legislative Council, urged that the temporary financial difficulties of the Government of India ought not in the interests of the people to lead to any check in railway extension. He quoted statistics to prove that the expansion of the railway system had led to a large increase in the export revenues, and urged the necessity of the country being still further opened up. The deficit of last year was not due to the working of the railways, but to the 5 per cent. interest which had to be paid on the original capital, raised thirty years ago.

LORD LANSDOWNE, in reply, said :—

He was sure the deputation would not expect him to announce any policy to them in respect of the development of Indian railways, but he might say that he entirely concurred with them in regarding the development of the railway system of India as a matter of the utmost importance to that country. In the conversations he had had with gentlemen familiar with the country, he learnt that, in spite of the financial difficulties, they were all disposed to look forward with sanguine expectation to an improvement in the general position of the country, which they attributed very much to the manner in which the railways of India had been expanded during the last few years. Everybody was agreed as to the railway, and it was now merely a question as to the rate at which the system should be developed. He promised that he would bear in mind the strong opinion expressed on this subject by that deputation. He would also bear in mind what had been said with regard to merchandise marks, as he quite understood the matter was one of importance to a place like Lancashire.

At the meeting of the shareholders of Monte Carlo Casino, the report for the year showed that the number of suicides had been reduced from twenty five to nineteen. The latest victim was a young Russian lady, who lost all her fortune in a week and threw herself into the sea.

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THE INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS.

IN the *Times'* Calcutta telegraphic letter which reached England on the 14th ultimo, prominence was given to Sir Auckland Colvin's remarks on the Congress movement in general, and the political aspirations of the people in particular. To these remarks Mr. Wm. Digby, C.I.E., as head of the Indian Political Agency in England, was evidently moved to make a prompt reply, for, in the next day's issue of the *Times* we find the following letter :—

In view of the letter of Sir Auckland Colvin, Lieutenant-Governor of the North-West Provinces, on the Indian National Congress, telegraphed by your Calcutta Correspondent and appearing in your issue of to-day, will you allow me, as the representative in England of the Congress movement, to state in very brief compass what the aims of the Congress, as authoritatively set forth, really are? They are these :—

1. Reform of the Supreme and Local Legislative Councils to the extent that half of the members may be elected, as regards the local councils only by "those classes and members of the community *prima facie* capable of exercising" electoral power wisely and independently; and, as regards the Viceroy's Council by members of the several provincial councils also right of interpellation and discussion of Budgets.

2. The separation of judicial and executive function when vested in one and the same officer.

3. Military service in its higher grades to be open to Indians.

4. Volunteering to be encouraged.

5. The unequal incidence of the income-tax protested against.

6. Technical education to encourage indigenous manufactures desired.

7. The Disarmament Act of 1878 protested against; and

8. Consideration by Viceroy and Secretary of State of these resolutions asked.

In all the discussions which took place on these topics—discussions lasting three days—not one seditious or disloyal word was uttered. On the contrary, the most sincere loyalty was very frequently expressed by speakers from all parts of the Empire, and an earnest wish was repeatedly stated that the connexion between Britain and India might be made more enduring and for the mutual benefit of both countries. A more striking testimony to the good effects of British rule in India than is afforded by the Congress and the Congress proceedings cannot be imagined. Hitherto that rule has been the rule of the conqueror; hence forth it will be with the consent of the governed, if the Congress proposals are granted.

It is suprising to find Sir Auckland Colvin opposing the Congress. Few Indian officials have hitherto been so ready as he to recognize the new India which British rule has

THE NATIVE PRESS.

THE COMING VICEROY.

THE *Rast Goftar* says:—Lord Lansdowne will set foot on these shores amidst the welcome of the people and their hearty good wishes. Our new Viceroy comes here with a full consciousness of the enormous responsibilities of his exalted office. It is an office, as Lord Dufferin may assure us any day, of hard unremitting toil and anxious cares, where the possibilities of failure are far greater than those of success. Both future and favourable circumstances must combine with statesmanlike qualities for the achievement of success. Complications on the frontier, a greater full exchange, and, worst of all, a year or two of famine, may confound all calculations and baffle the wisdom of the best of statesmen. In circumstances like these, failure may be due to anything but the short-coming or wickedness of the personage who is the head of the administration. Lord Lansdowne is not behind him, like his illustrious predecessor, a brilliant role of past achievements to speak for him. He has, however, done enough to prove himself a valuable servant of the Crown, fully deserving of the exalted trust which is now reposed in him; and it is right to be the earnest hope of every one of her Majesty's subjects that a kindly Providence will help the Viceroy in all his endeavours to promote the well-being of the teeming millions of India.

The *Yezdan Parast* says that Lord Dufferin has left for his successor a heritage of complications which will beset the path of Lord Lansdowne with enormous difficulties. But the prayers of the people will be with him in all his endeavours to do good to the people over whom he has been called to rule, and to cope with success the difficulties and dangers which he will have to face during his Viceroyalty. We hope to now, all that we have heard of Lord Lansdowne augurs in his favour. But we had also heard loud praises of Lord Dufferin, when he came here, and we know how he disappointed us. We must, therefore, wait to see how his successor acts in his exalted office, before forming any judgment about him.

THE HON. J. R. NAYLOR.

THE *Kaiser-i-Hind* says:—We cordially agree with all that the *Bombay Gazette* has said in appreciation of the services of the Hon. J. R. Naylor, who has proceeded to Europe on eighteen months' leave. The drafting of the Municipal Act will long remain a monument of his ability and legal knowledge. As a devoted servant of the Government, his value and usefulness have been proved long since, though his services have not yet been recognized by the bestowal of [illegible] Naylor is in every way fitted to be the Governor's Council, and we [illegible] one a member of Government occurring in the Council. [illegible] by the *Gazette* that [illegible] doubtful. Mr. Naylor [illegible] entitled to a seat on the Bench [illegible] Court on the elevation of Sir Raymond [illegible] his supersession has been regarded as an injustice done to a deserving officer. It is possible that the contemplated retirement of Mr. Naylor is due to his unwillingness to return to the post which he has so long occupied with credit. But we hope at the end of his leave some higher office will be available for him, and that he will then be induced to return to India.

THE *Rast Goftar* says:—Mr. J. R. Naylor, Legal Remembrancer to Government, went home by the last mail, on eighteen months' leave. As it is considered probable that he will retire at the end of that time [illegible] this opportunity to pass without testeem in which he is held [illegible] and natives alike. The public would [illegible] lose the services of an able and conscien- [illegible] like Mr. Naylor. The *Bombay Gazette* [illegible] than justice to Mr. Naylor when the [illegible] of his high reputation as a lawyer [illegible] draftsman, and it is admitted on all [illegible] if no technical difficulty had stood in the [illegible] appointment as a judge of the High Court, [illegible] have certainly proved a very valuable [illegible] to the Bench. His devotion to duty and capacity for hard and continuous work were particularly noticeable during the Cambay Commission, which sat two years ago, at Ahmedabad, for some weeks; and although their verdict, entirely concurred in, as it was, by the local Government, was reversed by the Secretary of State, we believe with the majority of the public, that the opinion formed by the Commissioners, after a most patient and exhaustive inquiry, was at once sound and impartial. An officer of Mr. Naylor's experience and rare merit can yet do much useful service as a member of Government, and we hope to see him some day occupying that exalted position. He was acting as legal member of Council during the absence of Sir Raymond West, whose return we welcome with as much heartiness as we regret the departure of Mr. Naylor.

MR. A. O. HUME AND THE CONGRESS.

THE *Kaiser-i-Hind* counsels moderation to Mr. Hume in his advocacy of the National Congress. The paper says that Mr. Hume's extreme views will rather injure than advance the interests of the Congressionists. Even some Bengal journals have been expressing their disapproval of his over zeal, and we shall be very glad if he takes a warning from this, and moderates his tone in time. We heartily recognize all his efforts on behalf of the Congress, but we must say that a pamphlet whose authorship he admits, and which has been severely criticized by Sir Auckland, contains much objectionable matter. The aim of the Congress is not directed against the British rule, though the tone of Mr. Hume's pamphlet is likely to furnish with an excuse those who declare that the Congress is a disloyal organization. It is feared that the uncompromising views of Mr. Hume may exercise a similar influence upon the rising generation of natives, which would certainly be very deplorable.

"THE MILITANT MAJOR."

To borrow a well-known metaphor, the vaulting outspokenness of Major Selby overleapt itself, when he opposed the vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, chairman of the Standing Committee, to Mr. Charles, who proved a worthy successor of Mr. Olivant on Municipal Commissioner during his absence for a year-and-a-half on furlough. Major Selby admitted that Mr. Charles had worked hard, and worked well; but it was insinuated that the Commissioner had done no more than his duty, and therefore, to thank him for his services was an act of "indiscriminate flattery," of which he, at least, would not be guilty. The militant Major has, before this, fought well in the cause of Municipal independence, and his genius for destructive criticism is unparalleled in the civic hall. But his spirit of opposition needs, at times, to be curbed by judgment and good taste, and we have no doubt that the mellowing influence of time and experience will add to his usefulness as a Councillor. We can hardly believe it is necessary to tell him that "doing one's duty" is a relative term, and that it is not often that we come across people who perform their work honestly and to the best of their ability. It would be absurd, therefore, to deny our acknowledgments to the individual whom we admit to have applied that high standard of duty.—*Rast Goftar*

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT AND INDIAN FAMINES.

THE *Indian Spectator* says:—Referring to Prof. Fawcett's opinion that English rule in India has succeeded to check famines, our correspondent says that "every student of Indian history knows that since the inauguration of British Government in India famines have been of more frequent recurrence than formerly. We are not in a position to know what "every student of Indian history" thinks of the matter, but if he thinks with our esteemed correspondent, we must say he has read history to little purpose. Famines, floods, epidemics and other natural calamities may have occurred frequently in some parts of India under the British. But what is there to show that they have occurred more frequently than under Native rule? In the first place, we have hardly any data for useful comparison. Where have we, for instance, a reliable account of the famines that happened in India, say, for the 500 years preceding the advent of the British? In times when men and women were treated as the common herd, when they had no voice even to proclaim their misery, when there was no press, no railway, no telegraph, it is easier to imagine than to describe the results of a famine. If we hear of starvation and death now, there is little warrant to suppose that the case was better in former times. In all probability it was much worse. The British system of administration is doubtless far from perfect, their management of famines is bungling and needlessly costly, their misappropriation of the Famine Insurance Fund is a disgrace to them. But with the facilities and resources they have created, they can cope with natural calamities much more successfully than their predecessors, Hindu or Mahomedan. At the worst, we believe, they act better than any well conducted Native administration as regards the management of famines.

A MOST EXTRAORDINARY STATEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE WELLINGTON (SALOP) JOURNAL.

DEAR SIR,—In your paper of the 20th of October I saw the account of what I considered a most extraordinary statement, wherein "Mrs. Mary Ann Foster, of 48, Greenfield-terrace, Gateshead, had been cured of rheumatism in the limbs in fifteen minutes by using St. Jacobs Oil." Now, this statement of itself seemed incredible, but when the article stated further, that "for a long time her legs had been so stiff that she could not sit up in bed," that "the ligaments of her joints seemed to have grown together," and "that her case was considered hopeless," it seemed a miracle which I determined to investigate. I accordingly called on Mrs. Foster for the purpose of learning the truth. Judge of my surprise when that lady told me that every word was true. She said that for months previous to using the Oil she had been confined to her bed, suffering the most excruciating agony night and day, but that in fifteen minutes after the application she experienced relief from pain, and in less than a week she was up and about the house—a well woman. Mrs. Foster says this was more than twelve months ago, and she has not had any return of the disease. She is as well and strong as she ever was in her life, and (naturally) recommends St. Jacobs Oil to everybody—in fact, is a living advertisement for St. Jacobs Oil. I hand you these facts solely for the benefit of the public, believing that a remedial agent, possessing such wonderful power to conquer pain and relieve suffering, should be made known everywhere. I am glad to see, that your journal, as well as the Press generally, is taking up the matter, which is quite right.—I remain, your respectfully,

THOMAS HUTCHKISS.

46, Napier-Street, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

MESSRS. TREACHER AND COMPANY'S CHRISTMAS SHOW.

THE approach of Christmas is always betokened by preparations for merry-making and feasting, while shopmen lay in their stores, and take more pains than perhaps they do at any other period of the whole year, in the decking of their windows and the display of their wares in a manner the most tempting to their customers. In such preparations at present the large firm of Messrs. Treacher and Co. are having a busy time, as a visit to their retail warehouse in Rampart Row, Bombay, will show. On entering the premises the eye cannot fail to be attracted by the large and glistening array of electro and silver plate. It does not require much examination to discover that the quality of the electro-plating is of the best quality, while the designs, which are of the newest, are very pretty Amongst the dinner plate there is a splendid assortmentof cruet stands of all sizes and of every manner of form and pattern, while the designs of some of the tea and coffee services, the "Old English" and "Beatrice," for instance, are very chaste and tasteful. Nothing could be more artistic than some of the epergnes and electro centre pieces for the table. There is a large add splendid show of prettily carved butter and biscuit frames, sugar baskets, desert knives and forks, and indeed there is nothing required for the table which there is not in Messrs. Treacher's collection and plenty to choose from. Icepails of electro, and crystal or oak mounted are exhibited in great variety; while a specialty is made of prize cups and goblets, this being the season when these latter are much in demand. There are small cups and large cups carved and engraved to suit shooting, competition, boating, racing, polo, golf, and all Gymkhana and athletic tournaments. Another speciality is the "Tantalus" liquor frame. The decanters are of pretty cut glass while the frames would make an elegant ornament for the dining-room. But that is not all. They can be locked in a manner that it is impossible to remove the bottles from the frame, thus preventing the mysterious disappearance of liquors which, as is very well known, sometimes occurs. The "Temeraire" locked liquor bottle is something after the same style. Of toilet sets there is an immense variety, both plain, and richly chased. In a word electro collection includes everything of the kind that could possibly be imagined or required, but before leaving this department mention might be made of a very handsome centrepiece for the table in the shape of a fountain. This ornament, and a very elegant one it is, stands about 28 inches high, and the base is richly ornamented with painted mirrors. The base which forms a sort of pedestal, contains the engine which works the fountain. The water ejected, falls first into a small glass basin, and then into a larger one below, whence it returns to the engine to be re-pumped up again.

Turning now to the jewellery department, the selection, which is a large one, has been personally chosen by the company's own agent in London and comprises the latest and most fashionable novelties in vogue in Britain. In gold and in silver, plain, engraved or bestudded with jewels, cheap or expensive, there are articles to suit all purses. Here is, indeed, a capital, stock to choose Christmas, birthday, or wedding gifts from.

The fancy leather goods department also affords numerous things for presentation, comprising albums, writing desks, pocket, books and so forth. The "British Army" and the "British Navy" albums are novelties of their kind. In the former anartistic set of sketches representing every arm of the service, in the field, in camp, and on parade. For instance, first comes the Saluting Point, with the Commander-in-Chief and his Staff; another leaf shows a Troop of Hussars cantering across a plain; another page isdevoted to the Life Guards and the Blues, and the three Regiments of Foot Guards also have a page to themselves. A Baggage Guard on the line of march in Zululand; a Working Party of the Royal Engineers; the *mauvais quart d'heure* which the Egyptians had with Sir Drury Lowe and the heavies at Kassassin; an Outpost of Indian Troops at the foot of an Afghan Pass; a Party of the Rifle Brigade extended in skirmishing order; and the Transport Service in Afghanistan, are subjects of other sketches. The "British Navy" album might be characterised a companion volume. Floral and illuminated of all kinds may also be seen, as well as photograph frames and screens. The Japanese triple folding mirrors are well worthy of observation, not only being exceedingly useful but forming a quaint and pretty ornament for either boudoir or drawing-room; jewl cases, and dressing cases, the supply of which is as varied as it is large also come under this department. Special attention may by drawn to the "Ne Plus Ultra," and Treacher's "Special" dressing bags. The former is a most convenient and handy article, while the latter contains the most useful requisites for both toilet and writing.

In drawing and curveying, instruments artists materials, and so forth the Messrs. Treacher deal largely. Indeed, they pay special attention to this part of their business They have had a long practical aquaintance in the branch, and the manner in which it has increased, which has necessitated an extension of the department amply testifies to the excellence of the stock, to the accuracy, workmanship, and finish of their manufacture, and the superiority of the colours and such materiels supplied by them.

What might be termed the domestic department contains everything that is useful for the household, so that parties furnishing may make sure of finding everything they want by calling at Messrs. Treacher's establishments at Rampart Row, at Byculla, or at Poona. Hardware, ironmongery, cutlery, lamps, &c., are all to be found here. In regard to table cutlery the firm have had a stock specially manufactured for them at Sheffield. The "Cavendish" is the name of the new brand. They are of beautifully tempered steel, symmetrical, and light Stoves, many of which are very handy in their character—the new pattern oil kitchener, for instance—camp and tourist stoves which can easily be carried about will burn any kind of fuel, and constructed to stand any amount of rough usage, come under this department. So do oil and other lamps, which may be had of the most chaste, artistic, and elaborate design if wanted. In glass, china, and crockery, that known as the "standard" pattern is worthy special attention. This ware possesses the advantage of being cheap. It can be supplied not only in complete sets, but in separate parts to suit the convenience of the purchaser, so that it is a simple matter to have broken pieces replaced, or sets increased when wanted.

Messrs. Treacher and Co. also provide clothing outfits including sun helmets and felt hats, scarves and ties, socks, dressing gowns, &c., while every requisite fo travelling including trunks and portmanteaus, are kept on the premises. Saddlery, too, forms a branch of the establishment.

But it is in the general provision line that the most extensive preparations have been, and are now being made for Christmas. It is hardly necessary to say much about the wine department, for the firm's reputation in this regard is so widely known that commendation is totally unnecessary suffice to say that through the careful attention for which they have so long been noted, the management, by their various agencies, have already succeeded in perfecting such arrangement as enable them to offer a selection as for quality, variety, and price, equals if it does not excel their previous efforts in this direction. Champagnes, clarets, sherries, ports, burgundies, brandies, whiskies, and every manner of liquor distilled or brewed have been laid in in large quantities. The preserved provisions likewise, are of the best. Quite a special line is that of the aerated which are all manufactured by Messrs. Treacher and Co. themselves, under the superintendence of an English chemist. Cigars and cheroots are cheap enough in Bombay, but the difficulty is to get them properly seasoned. Treacher's are kept in first-rate condition, and the flavour of a genuine "Trichy" is certainly a treat.

In regard to the chemical and medicinal department the management exercise a deal of care. Their business in this line is very extensive; and it is only right to mention that it is conducted on English lines. In fact, the place is just an ideal British apothecaries' Hall, and is under the charge of twelve fully qualified chemists.

Let us have a brief glance now at the fancy should, or the toy-room as it might be termed. Here are displayed everything that could be got to delight the children. When lit up of an evening by the electric light, it looks like a perfect fairyland, or to the children's imagination the home of Santa Claus, with the Noah's Arks, dolls, rocking-horses, crackrs, bon-bons, cases of sweets, and so forth, all attractively laid out. There are also parlour, and indoor games innumerable. A Chrismas tree, too, will soon be erected, from which young visitors may select what they fancy. Then for home decoration, an ample supply of holly, mistletoe, and artificial flowers, flags, and miniature banners are to be had at the extensive establishment of Messrs. Treacher and Co.

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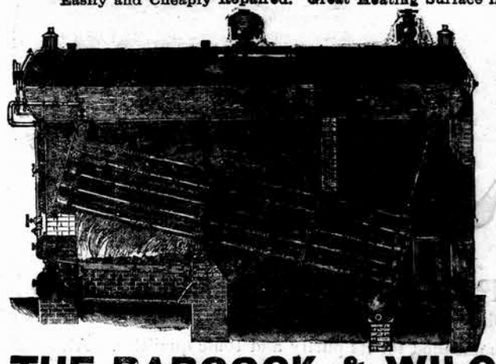

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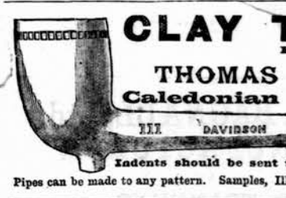

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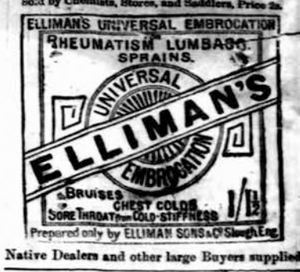

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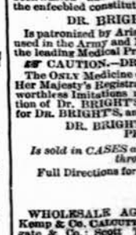

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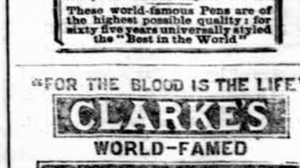

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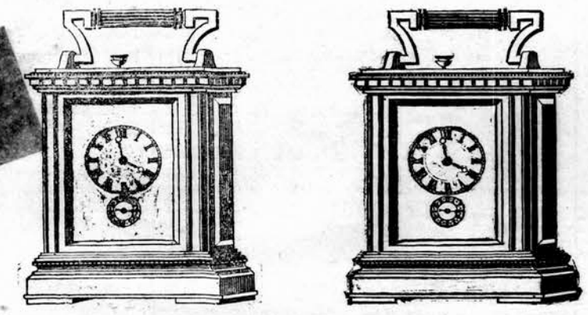

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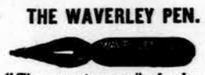

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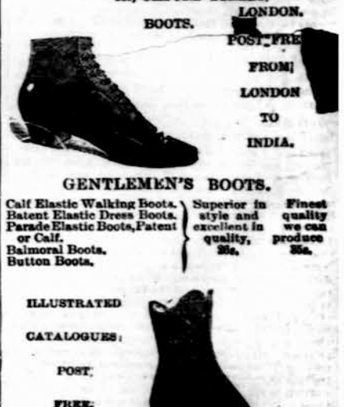

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